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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/26/016405/I

I write in connection with your request for information dated 16/02/2026, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

On 17 December 2025 the Metropolitan Police Commissioner and Chief Constable of Greater Manchester Police issued this statement:

In the statement, they said as follows:

"We know communities are concerned about placards and chants such as "globalise the intifada" and those using it at future protest or in a targeted way should expect the Met and GMP to take action. Violent acts have taken place, the context has changed - words have meaning and consequence. We will act decisively and make arrests. Frontline officers will be briefed on this enhanced approach."

Please publish a copy of the briefing - or briefings - referred to above where the Commissioner and Chief Constable said: "Frontline officers will be briefed on this enhanced approach".

Result of Searches

Following receipt of your request searches were conducted within Greater Manchester Police (GMP) to locate information relevant to your request. I can confirm that the information you have requested is not held by GMP. No such formal briefing documents are held by GMP.