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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/26/017360/Q

I write in connection with your request for information dated 01/08/2026, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

I am writing to request the following recorded information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 relating to your organisation's IT asset management, procurement and IT asset disposal (ITAD) arrangements.

1. IT Asset Inventory

Please provide the current number of:

- ***Desktop PCs***
- ***Laptops***
- ***Tablets***
- ***Mobile phones/smartphones***
- ***Servers***

Where recorded, please also provide the manufacturer and model of these devices.

2. Device Refresh

Please provide:

- ***The standard refresh cycle for laptops, desktops, tablets, mobile phones and servers.***
- ***The date (or expected date) of the next planned hardware refresh programme, if recorded.***
- ***The number of devices scheduled for replacement during the next 12 months, if recorded.***

3. IT Asset Disposal (ITAD)

Please provide:

- ***The name of your current ITAD supplier.***
- ***The contract award date.***
- ***The contract expiry date.***
- ***Any available extension options.***
- ***The total contract value.***

- *Whether the contract was awarded through a procurement framework. If so, please state the framework used.*

4. Hardware Procurement

Please provide:

- *The supplier(s) of end-user devices.*
- *Whether end-user devices are owned, leased, or supplied under a Device as a Service (DaaS) arrangement.*
- *The procurement framework(s) used for hardware purchases, where applicable.*

5. Data Destruction

Please provide:

- *The data sanitisation standard used (for example, NIST SP 800-88), where recorded.*
- *Whether certificates of data destruction are required.*
- *Whether encrypted drives are securely erased or physically destroyed in accordance with your policy.*

6. Sustainability

Please provide:

- *Whether you have a policy to maximise reuse before recycling.*
- *If recorded, the proportion or number of retired devices that are:*
 - o *Reused internally*
 - o *Refurbished for reuse*
 - o *Recycled*
 - o *Destroyed*

7. Asset Disposal Volumes

Please provide, for each of the last two financial years, the number of the following assets disposed of:

- *Desktop PCs*
- *Laptops*
- *Tablets*
- *Servers*
- *Mobile phones/smartphones*

8. Contract Management

Please provide:

- *The job title responsible for managing the ITAD contract.*
- *The department responsible for IT asset disposal.*
- *The expected contract review or re-tender date, if recorded.*

9. Financial Recovery

Please provide:

- *Whether your current ITAD provider offers revenue sharing or rebates for reusable equipment.*
- *The total value of any rebates received during the last financial year, if recorded.*

Result of Searches

Following receipt of your request searches were conducted within Greater Manchester Police (GMP) to locate the requested information and I can confirm the information requested is held by GMP.

However, I am not obliged to supply all the information as an exemption applies.

Section 17 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 requires Greater Manchester Police, when refusing to provide such information (because this information is exempt) to provide you, the applicant, with a notice which: (a) states that fact, (b) specifies the exemption in question and (c) states (if that would not otherwise be apparent) why the exemption applies.

Question 8 part 1 is exempted from disclosure under **Section 40(2) Personal Information** –Some information you have requested constitutes personal data of an identifiable living individual/s, and to disclose this information would breach the principles of the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and the Data Protection Act 2018. Personal data is defined by Section 1 of the Data

Protection Act 2018 and means data that relates to an individual who can be identified directly or indirectly from that data.

Section 40 is an absolute exemption with no requirement to complete a public interest test.

Question 1.

Please provide the current number of:

- Desktop PCs – **1592 Lenovo**
- Laptops – **11141 Lenovo**
- Tablets – **480 Samsung**
- Mobile phones/smartphones – **10101 Motorola \ Samsung**
- Servers **992**

Question 2.

Please provide:

- The standard refresh cycle for laptops, desktops, tablets, mobile phones and servers. **This can vary but currently planned for every 5 years**
- The date (or expected date) of the next planned hardware refresh programme, if recorded. **April 2027**
- The number of devices scheduled for replacement during the next 12 months, if recorded. **3,000**

Question 3.

Please provide:

- The name of your current ITAD supplier. **Disklabs**
- The contract award date. **July 2025**
- The contract expiry date. **July 2027**
- Any available extension options. **2 years**
- The total contract value. **£120K**
- Whether the contract was awarded through a procurement framework. If so, please state the framework used. **Open Tender**

Question 4.

Please provide:

- The supplier(s) of end-user devices. **Computacentre**
- Whether end-user devices are owned, leased, or supplied under a Device as a Service (DaaS) arrangement. **Owned**
- The procurement framework(s) used for hardware purchases, where applicable. **This information is currently undecided and therefore not recorded.**

Question 5.

Please provide:

- The data sanitisation standard used (for example, NIST SP 800-88), where recorded. **ISO9001 Quality Management**
ISO27001 Information Security Management System
ISO22301 Business Continuity Management
ADISA Silver Level Secure Destruction of Confidential Material

Question 6.

Please provide:

- Whether you have a policy to maximise reuse before recycling. **All data baring assets are destroyed**

Question 7.

Please provide, for each of the last two financial years, the number of the following assets disposed of:

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- Desktop PCs 0/17
- Laptops 1/17
- Tablets **included in mobile data**
- Servers 0/5
- Mobile phones/smartphones 0/5

Question 8.

Please provide:

- The job title responsible for managing the ITAD contract. **See exemption above.**
- The department responsible for IT asset disposal. **IT**
- The expected contract review or re-tender date, if recorded. **Late 2028.**

Question 9.

Please provide:

- Whether your current ITAD provider offers revenue sharing or rebates for reusable equipment.

Yes

- The total value of any rebates received during the last financial year, if recorded. **N/A**