

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO 2013-024

Your request has now been considered under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (the Act) and we provide our response below.

You asked:

This is a Freedom of Information request (dated 3rd October 2013) addressed to each Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner (OPCC) plus the Mayor's Office for Police and Crime (MOPAC), to provide details of how your OPCC/MOPAC meets each of the 25 transparency requirements specified within appropriate legislation. Details of the legislative requirements on PCCs and MOPAC are available here.

In order to minimise workload on your OPCC (and on MOPAC), a Google Documents spreadsheet is provided here for your office to complete. Please simply provide within this spreadsheet the pages on your OPCC/MOPAC website that most closely provide the public with each of the 25 transparency requirements. A list of the legislative requirements is provided below.

Completion of your office's element of this spreadsheet thus entails provision of the web addresses of up to 25 pages on your OPCC/MOPAC website, and should therefore not represent any undue workload, nor should require any extensive research on the part of your team. Should you prefer not to complete the spreadsheet, please alternatively meet this FoI request by in some other way providing a list of the 25 relevant webpages on your OPCC/MOPAC website that most closely meet each of the 25 criteria listed below.

Please note that the responses to these 42 Freedom of Information requests (41 OPCCs plus MOPAC) will be reflected within a CoPaCC paper to be published in November 2013, around the first anniversary of PCCs' election.

Your request for information has now been considered and the following link to the PCC Dorset website provides access to the relevant information requested:

http://www.dorset.pcc.police.uk/Your-PCC/Openness-and-Transparency---Publishing-Information.aspx

Technically this notice amounts to a refusal under Section 21 of the Act: – Information accessible to the applicant by other means.