

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO 2013-028

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

You asked:

Under the Freedom of Information Act, please provide me with the details of the numbers, make and model of the cars, vans and other vehicles utilised by your Police Service.

Please collate the data in order of the number of vehicles provided by each manufacturer so that the answer to this request shows how many vehicles each manufacturer provides.

I understand that under the Act, I should be entitled to a response within 20 working days of your receipt of this email.

Some parts of this request may be easier to answer than others. Should this prove the case, I would ask that you release available data as soon as possible – rather than hold up the entire request.

I would prefer to receive this information electronically. If the decision is made to withhold some of this data using exemptions within the Act, please inform me of that fact and cite the exemptions used.

Your request for information has now been considered. Whilst the Police and Crime Commissioner (PCC) has responsibilities with respect to the overall budget for Dorset Police, specific records relating to the Dorset Police vehicle fleet are held by the Force rather than the PCC or the Office of the PCC. Our response to your request must therefore be 'No Information Held.'

We would therefore suggest that you direct your enquiry to Dorset Police if you have not already done so. I provide their contact details below.

Dorset Police

The Freedom of Information Office,
Professional Standards Department,
Dorset Police Headquarters,
Winfrith,
Dorchester,
Dorset
DT2 8DZ

Email: foi@dorset.pnn.police.uk
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You can also submit your Freedom of Information request to Dorset Police via on-line form using the following link:

<https://www.dorset.police.uk/Default.aspx?page=752>