



## **FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO 2013–034**

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

You asked:

- 1. How much money was paid in bonuses, allowances and severance payments of any sort to Police Authority staff in each of 2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11, 2011-12 and 2012-13?**
- 2. What was the maximum bonus, allowance and severance payment made to any sort of Police Authority staff member in each of 2008-09, 2009-10, 2010-11, 2011-12 and 2012-13?**

**For the avoidance of doubt, by Police Authority staff I mean the chief executive, chief financial officer etc of the Police Authority itself, not the civilian workers of the police force.**

**In addition, please can you tell me:**

- 3. How much money has been spent on relocation allowances, private healthcare and car schemes for your force's chief officers in each of 2010-11, 2011-12 and 2012-13?**
- 4. What is the car scheme for your civilian chief officers ie Director of Resources, Director of Finance etc? Please state if they have access to force fleet vehicles and if so, do they have emergency response equipment (ie 'blues and twos') fitted?**

Your request for information has been considered under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (the Act) and our response is as follows:

1. None.
2. No bonus payments have been made to any member of Police Authority staff in the years 2008/09 to 2012/13.
3. All allowances and employment costs for chief officers are published in the accounts available on the archived Dorset Police Authority and PCC Dorset websites:

<http://www.webarchive.org.uk/wayback/archive/20121222000654/http://www.dpa.police.uk/default.aspx?page=443>

<http://www.dorset.pcc.police.uk/Plans-and-priorities/Budget-and-Finance/Key-Financial-Information.aspx>

4. Civilian chief officers receive an allowance for the provision of a car and details are included within the annual accounts. The allowance is equivalent to a capital value of £28,000. Emergency response equipment (blues and twos) are not fitted to these vehicles.