


Freedom of Information
Quarterly Disclosure Log

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Police and Crime Commissioner
Northumbria

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251314	<p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>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</p>	<p>Provision of information held by the Northumbria Police & Crime Commissioner made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (the 'Act')</p> <p>Thank you for your email dated 3 October 2013, received in to this office on 3 October 2013, in which you made a request for access to certain information which may be held by the Northumbria Police & Crime Commissioner.</p> <p>As you may be aware the purpose of the Act is to allow a general right of access to information held by a Public Authority, subject to certain limitations and exemptions.</p> <p>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.:/</p> <p>In response: We have now had the opportunity to fully consider your request and I provide a response for your attention. That response is attached in the excel spreadsheet provided.</p>

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	<p>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.</p> <p>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.</p>	 <p>Transparency Analysis.xlsx</p> <p>The information we have supplied to you is likely to contain intellectual property rights of the Police & Crime Commissioner. Your use of the information must be strictly in accordance with the Copyright Designs and Patents Act 1988 (as amended) or such other applicable legislation. In particular, you must not re-use this information for any commercial purpose.</p> <p>How to complain If you are unhappy with our decision or do not consider that we have handled your request properly and we are unable to resolve this issue informally, you are entitled to make a formal complaint to us.</p> <p>If you are still unhappy after we have investigated your complaint and reported to you the outcome, you may complain directly to the Information Commissioner's Office and request that they investigate to ascertain whether we have dealt with your request in accordance with the Act.</p>
261314	<p>I am writing to obtain information about the total amount of money paid to trade unions by your organisation, the amount of staff time spent on trade union duties and/or activities and the payment of subscriptions. To outline my query as clearly as possible, I am requesting:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. A list of trade unions which received payments from your organisation and the total amounts paid to each union for financial years a) 2011-12 and b) 2012-13. If it is not 	<p>FOI request clarified that the requester is referring to Northumbria Police rather than the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner and has requested this FOI be passed to the Disclosure Unit at Northumbria Police.</p>

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	<p>possible to list the amount paid to each union, please provide a total amount paid to all unions. Please do not include membership dues or salary costs. Please only include direct payments.</p> <p>2. Please state:</p> <p>a) Which trade unions your organisation provide staff time to work on trade union duties and / or activities (sometimes called 'Trade Union facility time') in i) 2011-12 and ii) 2012-13.</p> <p>b) The number of full-time equivalent (FTE) staff that were provided for each trade union in i) 2011-12 and ii) 2012-13. For example, if a member of staff spends 2 days per week on union business, this is equal to 0.4 FTE.</p> <p>3.</p> <p>a) Does your organisation provide the facility to deduct trade union subscriptions from staff salaries in the payroll process?</p> <p>b) If so, for each union please state what your organisation charged for this service (whether as a fixed amount per employee or a percentage), and the total amount collected in:</p> <p>i) 2011-12</p> <p>ii) 2012-13</p> <p>Please note that the guidelines issued by ACAS state that: "An employee who is a member of an independent trade union</p>	

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	<p>recognised by the employer in respect of that description of employee is to be permitted reasonable time off during working hours to take part in any trade union activity. An employee who is a member of an independent and recognised trade union is also permitted to take reasonable time off during working hours for the purposes of accessing the services of a Union Learning Representative (provided those services are services for which the Union Learning Representative is entitled to time off).”</p> <p>If the information is not recorded, there is no way of ascertaining whether the time off provided is reasonable. I therefore do not expect the response that the organisation does not hold this information. If a formal record is not kept then I will accept a reasonable estimate.</p> <p>If the response to any of the questions is ‘nil’ or you are unable to answer any of them, please continue to respond to the other questions</p> <p>My preferred format to receive this information is electronically, but if that is not possible I will gladly accept letters at the address below.</p> <p>I would be grateful if you would acknowledge receipt of this request as soon as possible.</p>	

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271314	<p>DrugScope is the UK's leading independent centre of expertise on drugs and drug use, and the national membership organisation for the drug and alcohol field, with around 450 members, primarily voluntary and statutory sector treatment providers working to minimise drug related harm and support recovery.</p> <p>With the introduction of Police and Crime Commissioners and the reforms in funding streams relating to community safety activity, we are working to gain a clearer understanding of the implications these reforms will have on drug and alcohol services locally. We would, therefore, be very grateful if you could respond to the following questions:</p> <p>1. For 2013-14, please provide information about how much of your Community Safety Fund has been allocated to services relating to drug or alcohol use. This could include (for example) continuing funding for Drug Interventions Programme (DIP)-type interventions, investing in other referral routes from the criminal justice sector into drug and / or alcohol treatment, funding diversionary or educational work, or financially supporting community or residential treatment services.</p> <p>2. Are you able to give any indication of what the allocation is likely to be in 2014-15, and</p>	<p>Provision of information held by the Northumbria Police & Crime Commissioner made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (the 'Act')</p> <p>Thank you for your email dated 4th October 2013, received in to this office on 10th October 2013, in which you made a request for access to certain information which may be held by the Northumbria Police & Crime Commissioner.</p> <p>As you may be aware the purpose of the Act is to allow a general right of access to information held by a Public Authority, subject to certain limitations and exemptions.</p> <p>You asked:</p> <p>1. For 2013-14, please provide information about how much of your Community Safety Fund has been allocated to services relating to drug or alcohol use. This could include (for example) continuing funding for Drug Interventions Programme (DIP)-type interventions, investing in other referral routes from the criminal justice sector into drug and / or alcohol treatment, funding diversionary or educational work, or financially supporting community or residential treatment services.</p> <p>2. Are you able to give any indication of what the allocation is likely to be in 2014-15, and what the decision making process for next year's funding will be in your police area?</p> <p>3. Please describe how you engage with Health and Wellbeing Boards within your police area, and what level of involvement you have in Joint Strategic Needs Assessments and Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategies</p>

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	<p>what the decision making process for next year's funding will be in your police area?</p> <p>3. Please describe how you engage with Health and Wellbeing Boards within your police area, and what level of involvement you have in Joint Strategic Needs Assessments and Joint Health and Wellbeing Strategies</p> <p>4. Please describe whether you currently commission or are considering commissioning within the next 12 months services funded by a Payment by Results (PbR) mechanism, and if so, what form that mechanism takes.</p> <p>We would welcome as much detail as is available in your answers. The information we gather will help to inform our work to monitor the impact of policy changes on drug and alcohol services and support them to adapt and respond effectively.</p>	<p>4. Please describe whether you currently commission or are considering commissioning within the next 12 months services funded by a Payment by Results (PbR) mechanism, and if so, what form that mechanism takes.</p> <p>In response:</p> <p>1. The Police and Crime Commissioner for Northumbria was allocated £2.789m by the government for the Community Safety Fund. To date, for financial year 2013/14, the Police and Crime Commissioner has allocated £2.174m to local agencies. From the returns submitted to the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Northumbria on how these agencies propose to allocate the funding, £1.226m has been allocated to drug intervention programmes.</p> <p>2. We are unable to provide an indication of what will be included in financial year 2014/15. Decision making will be following the local strategic assessment and partner consultation. We also currently have no information to what funding we will receive from the Government for 2014/15.</p> <p>3. The Police and Crime Commissioner is engaged with a wide range of local partners including local health professionals and is keen to engage with local health agencies and strategies as local policies evolve and develop.</p> <p>4. The Police and Crime Commissioner for Northumbria does not commission on a payment by results model. The Commissioner has no current intention to introduce a payments by results mechanism within the next twelve months.</p>

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281314	<p>Would Northumbria PCC please provide any and all recorded information , including information held on computers, in emails and in printed or handwritten documents (including minutes of formal meetings of either Officers and / or Members together with any attendance notes taken by either Officers and / or Individual Members at any informal meetings) as well as images, video and audio recordings , minutes etc , and which is held by your Statutory Body and relates to :-</p> <p>1) The Policy which Northumbria PCC apply to criminal allegations made by Electors / Members of the Public against past and / or</p>	<p>Freedom of Information request – OPCC Northumbria</p> <p>You asked: The Policy which Northumbria PCC apply to criminal allegations made by Electors / Members of the Public against past and / or serving Council Members and / or Council Officers of Local Authorities ,including the most Senior Officers who carry various Statutory Positions within the legal framework of Local Government , (for example , Monitoring Officers , Solicitors , Auditors) , and how your Statutory Body applies an allegedly differing Policy being a more stringent standard towards ordinary Members of the Public working in the Private Sector , than it does towards Public Sector Employees , especially towards allegations of fraud made under Sections 3 & 4 of the Fraud Act 2006 ?</p>

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	<p>serving Council Members and / or Council Officers of Local Authorities ,including the most Senior Officers who carry various Statutory Positions within the legal framework of Local Government , (for example , Monitoring Officers , Solicitors , Auditors) , and how your Statutory Body applies an allegedly differing Policy being a more stringent standard towards ordinary Members of the Public working in the Private Sector , than it does towards Public Sector Employees , especially towards allegations of fraud made under Sections 3 & 4 of the Fraud Act 2006 ?</p>	<p>In response:</p> <p>I can confirm that the information you have requested is not held by the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Northumbria. This Office does not have any policy which distinguishes criminal activity by individuals within the public or private sector and/or relates to the execution of operational policing, which is a matter for the Chief Constable of Northumbria Police.</p> <p>You may wish therefore to direct your request to Northumbria Police, who may be able to assist you and can be contacted for Freedom of Information requests at:</p> <p>Disclosure Section Northumbria Police 4th Floor Cobalt Business Exchange Cobalt Business Way Newcastle upon Tyne NE28 9NZ Or email: freedom.info@northumbria.pnn.police.uk</p> <p>The information we have supplied to you is likely to contain intellectual property rights of the Police & Crime Commissioner. Your use of the information must be strictly in accordance with the Copyright Designs and Patents Act 1988 (as amended) or such other applicable legislation. In particular, you must not re-use this information for any commercial purpose.</p> <p>How to complain If you are unhappy with our decision or do not consider that we have handled your request properly and we are unable to resolve this issue informally, you are entitled to make a formal complaint to us.</p> <p>If you are still unhappy after we have investigated your complaint and reported to you the outcome, you may complain directly to the</p>

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291314	<p>Dear Sir/Madam,</p> <p>I am making this request under the Freedom of Information Act.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How many items have been stolen from the office of the Police and Crime Commissioner since it was created? 2. How much as a whole, cost wise, do the items stolen roughly amount to? 3. Can you provide a list of the range of items stolen? 4. What was the cheapest item stolen and how much does it cost? 5. What was the most expensive item stolen and how much did it cost? <p>Please email me at this address if you require any clarification.</p>	<p>Provision of information held by the Northumbria Police & Crime Commissioner made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (the 'Act')</p> <p>Thank you for your email dated 2 November 2013, in which you made a request for access to certain information which may be held by the Northumbria Police & Crime Commissioner.</p> <p>As you may be aware the purpose of the Act is to allow a general right of access to information held by a Public Authority, subject to certain limitations and exemptions.</p> <p>You asked:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. How many items have been stolen from the office of the Police and Crime Commissioner since it was created? 2. How much as a whole, cost wise, do the items stolen roughly amount to? 3. Can you provide a list of the range of items stolen? 4. What was the cheapest item stolen and how much does it cost? 5. What was the most expensive item stolen and how much did it cost? <p>In response:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. No items have been reported stolen by the office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Northumbria since it was created. 2. Not applicable as no items stolen. 3. Not applicable as no items stolen.

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301314	<p>I would like to know the following in relation to the existence of a memorandum of understanding between the Police and Crime Commissioner and the prison service/local prison governor:</p> <p>a. Does the Commissioner have a memorandum of understanding (MOU) with the prison service or your local prison governor, which defines</p> <p>i. what an "assault on a prison officer" is and</p>	<p>Ref 301314 - Provision of information held by the Northumbria Police & Crime Commissioner made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (the 'Act')</p> <p>Thank you for your email dated 11 November 2013, received in to this office on 11 November 2013, in which you made a request for access to certain information which may be held by the Office of the Police & Crime Commissioner for Northumbria.</p> <p>As you may be aware the purpose of the Act is to allow a general right of access to information held by a Public Authority, subject to certain limitations and exemptions.</p>

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	<p>ii. the types of incidents suitable for prosecution?</p> <p>Please note, if this document is not known as a “memorandum of understanding”, please provide details of whatever document you have which defines what an “assault on a prison officer” is and the incidents deemed suitable for prosecution.</p> <p>b. If a MOU or other similar document exists, please provide a copy of the actual document by email.</p> <p>c. If a MOU is not held by the Police and Crime Commissioner’s office, I would be grateful if you would advise me who is now responsible for these. I understand these agreements were previously held by the Police Authorities.</p>	<p>You asked:</p> <p>I would like to know the following in relation to the existence of a memorandum of understanding between the Police and Crime Commissioner and the prison service/local prison governor:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Does the Commissioner have a memorandum of understanding (MOU) with the prison service or your local prison governor, which defines <ol style="list-style-type: none"> i. what an “assault on a prison officer” is and ii. the types of incidents suitable for prosecution? <p>Please note, if this document is not known as a “memorandum of understanding”, please provide details of whatever document you have which defines what an “assault on a prison officer” is and the incidents deemed suitable for prosecution.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> b. If a MOU or other similar document exists, please provide a copy of the actual document by email. c. If a MOU is not held by the Police and Crime Commissioner’s office, I would be grateful if you would advise me who is now responsible for these. I understand these agreements were previously held by the Police Authorities. <p>In response:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. The information requested is not held by the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Northumbria. The OPCC does not have a direct Memorandum of Understanding with the prison service or local prison.

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		<p>b. No information held. As the information relating to a above is not held, then a response cannot be given to this request as it arises from the information available in response to a).</p> <p>c. No information held. Again, as the information is not held, as per a and b above, further detail cannot be provided. Northumbria Police may hold such a document. Your request should be directed to Northumbria Police Disclosure Section at the following address:</p> <p>Disclosure Section Northumbria Police 4th Floor Cobalt Business Exchange Cobalt Business Way Newcastle upon Tyne NE28 9NZ Or email: freedom.info@northumbria.pnn.police.uk</p> <p>The information we have supplied to you is likely to contain intellectual property rights of the Police & Crime Commissioner. Your use of the information must be strictly in accordance with the Copyright Designs and Patents Act 1988 (as amended) or such other applicable legislation. In particular, you must not re-use this information for any commercial purpose.</p> <p>How to complain If you are unhappy with our decision or do not consider that we have handled your request properly and we are unable to resolve this issue informally, you are entitled to make a formal complaint to us.</p> <p>If you are still unhappy after we have investigated your complaint and reported to you the outcome, you may complain directly to the</p>

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	<p>Under the Freedom of Information Act could you please provide me with information on how much the PCC claimed in expenses in the first 12 months of office – November 2012 to October 2013. Could the list please be broken down to include details on how much was claimed on travel, food, and accommodation? Could you also provide details on the PCC's mileage allowance? Could the list please be provided in an Excel spreadsheet too?</p>	<p>Thank you for your email dated 20th November 2013, received in to this Office on 20th November 2013, in which you made a request for access to certain information which may be held by the Northumbria Police & Crime Commissioner.</p> <p>As you may be aware the purpose of the Act is to allow a general right of access to information held by a Public Authority, subject to certain limitations and exemptions</p> <p>You asked: Under the Freedom of Information Act could you please provide me with information on how much the PCC claimed in expenses in the first 12 months of office – November 2012 to October 2013. Could the list please be broken down to include details on how much was claimed on travel, food, and accommodation? Could you also provide details on the PCC's mileage allowance? Could the list please be provided in an Excel spreadsheet too?</p> <p>In response I can confirm that the information you have requested is held by Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Northumbria. This information will not be disclosed to you and we rely on an exemption under Section 21– (Information which is reasonably accessible to the applicant) and Section 22 (Information intended for Future Publication) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000.</p>

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		<p>To assist you I have attached a link to the location of the website of the Northumbria Police and Crime Commissioner. http://www.northumbria-pcc.gov.uk/transparency/expint</p> <p>How to complain If you are unhappy with our decision or do not consider that we have handled your request properly and we are unable to resolve this issue informally, you are entitled to make a formal complaint to us.</p> <p>If you are still unhappy after we have investigated your complaint and reported to you the outcome, you may complain directly to the Information Commissioner's Office and request that they investigate to ascertain whether we have dealt with your request in accordance with the Act.</p> <p>The information we have supplied to you is likely to contain intellectual property rights of the Police & Crime Commissioner. Your use of the information must be strictly in accordance with the Copyright Designs and Patents Act 1988 (as amended) or such other applicable legislation. In particular, you must not re-use this information for any commercial purpose.</p>
321314	<p>I would like to request details under the Freedom of Information Act of any previous convictions of your PCC and their staff.</p> <p>More specifically, I would like to know the following: 1. Details of any previous convictions of the Police and Crime Commissioner including: 1. a) The number of people employed by the Police and Crime Commissioner, including the PCC him or herself, (including those</p>	<p>Thank you for your email dated 25th November 2013 in which you made a request for access to certain information which may be held by the Police and Crime Commissioner (PCC).</p> <p>As you may be aware the purpose of the Act is to allow a general right of access to information held by a Public Authority (including the PCC), subject to certain limitations and exemptions.</p> <p>You asked:</p>

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	<p>suspended, subject to caution, etc.) who have criminal records (for example, but not limited to, convictions, out-of-court disposals, etc.)</p> <p>1. b) Of these, the number known to be on the Sex Offenders Register or have convictions or out-of-court disposals for sex offences (of any type, including child sex).</p> <p>2. For each case, please provide:</p> <p>a) A description of the offence committed</p> <p>b) The punishment received</p> <p>c) The date of the conviction and the date when the crime was committed</p> <p>If my request is denied in whole or in part, I ask that you justify all deletions by reference to specific exemptions of the act. Please let me know you have received this.</p>	<p>1. Details of any previous convictions of the Police and Crime Commissioner including:</p> <p>a. The number of people employed by the Police and Crime Commissioner, including the PCC him or herself, (including those suspended, subject to caution, etc.) who have criminal records (for example, but not limited to, convictions, out-of-court disposals, etc)</p> <p>b. Of these, the number known to be on the Sex Offenders Register or have convictions or out-of-court disposals for sex offences (of any type, including child sex).</p> <p>2. For each case, please provide:</p> <p>a. A description of the offence committed</p> <p>b. The punishment received</p> <p>c. The date of the conviction and the date when the crime was committed.</p> <p>In response:</p> <p>We have now had the opportunity to fully consider your request and I provide a response for your attention.</p> <p>Following receipt of your request, enquiries were conducted within the PCC's office. I can confirm that the information you have requested is not held by the PCC.</p> <p>By way of explanation, whilst new employees are required to disclose unspent convictions, spent convictions and other non-conviction information is not required to be disclosed. On this basis, the criminal record of an individual is not held. Information may be held by the</p>


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		<p>police that would provide the information you seek but it is not held by the PCC.</p> <p>Staff employed by the PCC are required to undergo employment vetting however the PCC does not hold the detail of those vetting checks.</p> <p>Due to the different methods of recruitment, a specific response from one PCC should not be seen as an indication of what information could be supplied (within cost) by another although where the criminal record is held, it is likely to attract a section 40 exemption. For this reason the response from the PCC for Northumbria may differ from responses received from other PCCs.</p> <p>How to complain</p> <p>If you are unhappy with our decision or do not consider that we have handled your request properly and we are unable to resolve this issue informally, you are entitled to make a formal complaint to us.</p> <p>If you are still unhappy after we have investigated your complaint and reported to you the outcome, you may complain directly to the Information Commissioner's Office and request that they investigate to ascertain whether we have dealt with your request in accordance with the Act.</p>
331314	<p>Under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, please provide me with full answers to each of the following questions:</p> <p>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?</p>	<p>Thank you for your e mail dated 3 December 2013 in which you made a request for access to certain information which may be held by Northumbria Police & Crime Commissioner.</p> <p>As you may be aware the purpose of the Act is to allow a general right of access to information held by a Public Authority (including the Police Crime), subject to certain limitations and exemptions.</p>

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	<p>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?</p> <p>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.</p> <p>In addition, please can you tell me:</p> <p>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?</p> <p>4. What is the car scheme for your civilian chief officers i.e. 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 (i.e. 'blues and twos') fitted?</p>	<p>You asked:</p> <p>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?</p> <p>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?</p> <p>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.</p> <p>In addition, please can you tell me:</p> <p>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?</p> <p>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?</p> <p>In response: We have now had the opportunity to fully consider your request and I provide a response for your attention.</p> <p>Following receipt of your request, searches were conducted with the Finance of Northumbria Police & Crime Commissioner. I can confirm that the information you have requested is held by Northumbria</p>

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		<p data-bbox="1055 233 1487 261">Police & Crime Commissioner.</p> <p data-bbox="1055 308 1980 371">I have today decided to disclose the located information to you as follows.</p> <p data-bbox="1055 418 2018 667">1. & 2. The Police Authority employed no staff. Support to the Police Authority was provided through a support service agreement with Gateshead Council, which included the posts of Chief Executive & Solicitor, Treasurer, Human Resources Adviser and Property Adviser. Details are provided in the Statements of Accounts of the Police Authority and Gateshead Council. I have enclosed the relevant links below.</p> <p data-bbox="1055 713 1850 742">http://www.northumbria-pcc.gov.uk/transparency/finance</p> <p data-bbox="1055 788 1832 817">http://www.northumbria-police-authority.org/budget.htm</p> <p data-bbox="1055 863 2024 927">3.The amount of money spent on Chief Officer relocation allowances for the years specified is in the table below:</p> <table data-bbox="1055 938 1944 1054"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>2010/11</th> <th>2011/12</th> <th>2012/13</th> </tr> <tr> <th></th> <th>£</th> <th>£</th> <th>£</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Total</td> <td>0</td> <td>6,683.49</td> <td>14,752.00</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p data-bbox="1055 1101 2029 1244">Chief Officers have access to Force fleet vehicles which are fitted with emergency response equipment (ie blues and twos). The cost of vehicles that have been used by Chief Police Officers in the years requested is in the table below:</p> <table data-bbox="1055 1256 1406 1414"> <thead> <tr> <th></th> <th>Total</th> </tr> <tr> <th></th> <th>£</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>2010/11</td> <td>0</td> </tr> <tr> <td>2011/12</td> <td>79,280</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		2010/11	2011/12	2012/13		£	£	£	Total	0	6,683.49	14,752.00		Total		£	2010/11	0	2011/12	79,280
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341314	<p>Dear Sir/Madam,</p> <p>Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, please send me copies of any circular emails and attachments you have received from the Association of PCCs which were marked</p>	<p>Provision of information held by the Northumbria Police & Crime Commissioner made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (the 'Act') Ref 331314</p> <p>Thank you for your email dated 20 December 2013, received in to this office on 20 December 2013, in which you made a request for</p>

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