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Dear

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST – FOI 973/24 Officer sex on duty

I refer to your request for information received by Cumbria Constabulary on the 30th of October 2024. I note you seek access to the following information:

1. *In the 2022-23 and 2023-24 financial years please state (i) how many of your police officers (not civilian staff, specials or PCSOs) were the subject of a disciplinary sanctions of ANY description because they were found to have had sex while on duty, and (ii) how many of these officers were dismissed from the force?*
2. *Of these officers please provide a breakdown between (i) male officers and (ii) female officers?*
3. *Of these officers please provide a breakdown between (i) those having sex with a fellow officer, (ii) those having sex with a member of the public, and (iii) those having sex with a fellow officer and a member of the public (although obviously not necessarily at the same time)?*

NOTE: This question relates to disciplinary hearings that concluded and were recorded in the 2022-23 and 2023-24 financial year regardless of when the actual incident took place or when the allegation was first investigated.

Your request for information has now been considered and I can confirm Cumbria Constabulary does hold some information relevant to your request and where this is the case I have today decided to disclose this to you.

The information in response to your request has been provided by the Constabulary's Professional Standards Department.

Question 1- Nil.

Question 2- No information held.

Question 3- No information held.

Whilst every care has been taken in the retrieval of the information provided, please do not hesitate to contact us for clarification, if you do have any issues or queries relating to this data.

Complaint Rights

Your attention is drawn to the attached sheet, which details your right of complaint.



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I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your interest in Cumbria Constabulary.



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