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Dear

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST – FOI 826/24 CSI Personnel

I refer to your request for information received by Cumbria Constabulary on the 11th of September 2024. I note you seek access to the following information:

1. *How many Forensic Investigators or CSI personnel are currently employed by the force?*
2. *How many of these personnel are front facing?*
3. *How many have more than 10 years of service?*
4. *How many of them have less than 2 years of service?*
5. *How many individuals left the force in 2024, 2023, and 2022 before completing the mandatory training (i.e., Level 1 or Level 2, or both, if full competency is required)?*
6. *How many individuals left in 2024, 2023, and 2022 within one year of completing the mandatory training?*

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 Forensic services department and HR department.

Question 1- *How many Forensic Investigators or CSI personnel are currently employed by the force?*

Forensic Investigators- 22 including forensic collision investigators.

Crime Scene Investigation personnel- 13

Question 2- *How many of these personnel are front facing?*

All CSI personnel are operational and therefore front facing.

Question 3- *How many have more than 10 years of service?*



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Question 4- *How many of them have less than 2 years of service?*

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Question 5- *How many individuals left the force in 2024, 2023, and 2022 before completing the mandatory training (i.e., Level 1 or Level 2, or both, if full competency is required)?*

None

Question 6- *How many individuals left in 2024, 2023, and 2022 within one year of completing the mandatory training?*

None

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.

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



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