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Dear

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST – FOI 1509/25 Costs of Protests held in Dalton-in-Furness

I refer to your request for information which was received by Cumbria Constabulary on 13th November 2025. I note you seek access to the following information:

Please could you provide me with details of full costings of policing the numerous protests held in Dalton-in-Furness in relation to the building of the South Lakeland Islamic Centre.

Your request has been considered, and I can confirm that full costs to the force of policing protests are not recorded. Only records for additional costs such as overtime or accommodation etc. are recorded. Most costs related to policing protests are captured in day-to-day costs so there is no way to identify the total cost to the force. Therefore, the response to your request is no information held.

Complaint Rights

If you believe your request has not been properly handled, or you are otherwise dissatisfied with the outcome of your request, you have the right to request an internal review.

In the first instance, please email freedomofinformation@cumbria.police.uk quoting the FOI reference number and explain why you are dissatisfied. Your complaint will be considered and a response will be provided to you after your complaint has been investigated.

If you remain dissatisfied following conclusion of the internal review, you have the right, under section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act, to complain directly to the Information Commissioner.

The address for the Information Commissioner can be found below:

The Information Commissioner
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

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