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## Response to a request under the Freedom of Information Act

Can I please request the following information under the Freedom of Information Act - in relation to the police force you have oversight of:

1.

- a) How many police officers in your force were convicted of a serious sexual offence between 1st January 2013 & 30th April 2023, broken down by year?
- b) How many of these officers subsequently had their pension withdrawn, broken down by year? If only part of the pension was withdrawn please state what percentage.

2.

- a) How many police officers in your force were convicted of manslaughter between 1st January 2013 & 30th April 2023, broken down by year?
- b) How many of these officers subsequently had their pension withdrawn, broken down by year? If only part of the pension was withdrawn please state what percentage.

3.

- a) How many police officers in your force were convicted of murder between 1st January 2013 & 30th April 2023, broken down by year?
- b) How many of these officers subsequently had their pension withdrawn, broken down by year? If only part of the pension was withdrawn please state what percentage.
- 4. What is the approximate annual cost of the pensions granted to those police officers convicted of serious sexual assault, manslaughter or murder between 2013 & 2023, still in receipt of their pension?

## Response

1a, 2a, 3a, 4 - I can confirm that I do not hold this information, Section 1 of the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA). However, Section 16 of the FOIA informs that it is good practice to inform requesters where the



information they seek may be held. In this case I suggest that you direct your enquiry to North Wales Police. They may be found at <a href="https://www.northwales.police.uk/rqo/request/ri/request-information/">https://www.northwales.police.uk/rqo/request/ri/request-information/</a>

1b, 2b, 3b – I can confirm that I do not hold this information, Section 1 of the FOIA. I do not hold this information as no application to forfeiture a police pension has been made by the office since 2013.

This information has been provided in response to a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and is correct as at 12.06.2023