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Dear Mr Jarman

**FOI Reference No : FOI-20094/12254**

Thank you for your email dated and received by my office on the 14 Dec 2009. You have requested the following information under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000:

I am seeking certain information related to police injury pensions.

1. Do you have a written policy governing the management and review of police injury pensions? If you do, please provide me with a copy.
2. Since August 2004, to date, how many injury pensions have been reduced when reviewed?
3. Since August 2004, to date, how many injury pensions have been increased when reviewed?
4. Since August 2004, to date, how many injury pensions have been reduced to the lowest band when the former officer in receipt of the pension reached (or had already reached) the age of 65?
5. If your force has any document recording any analysis and/or consideration of the guidance contained in Annex C to Home Office circular 46/2004 please supply me with a copy.
6. If your force has any document recording any calculation and/or projection of the potential budgetary savings and/or financial impact that might result from adoption of the guidance contained in Annex C to Home Office circular 46/2004 please supply me with a copy.

Notes:

In this request, the term "document" should be taken to mean any record whether in printed or digital form, including reports, minutes or transcripts of meetings, notes, memoranda, letters, and email, etc.

Any information you supply should be in any standard digital format, such as MS Word (.doc) or Adobe Portable Document Format (.pdf) and sent to the address indicated, where it will be available for viewing by visitors to the [whatdotheyknow.com](http://whatdotheyknow.com) web site.

Your request will now be considered and you will receive a response within the statutory timescale of 20 working days as defined by the Act, subject to the information not being exempt or containing a reference to a third party. In some circumstances West Yorkshire Police may be unable to achieve this deadline. If this is likely you will be informed and given a revised time-scale at the earliest opportunity.

In exceptional circumstances, there may be a fee payable for the retrieval, collation and provision of

the information you have requested. If this is the case you will be informed and the 20 working day timescale will be suspended until we receive payment from you. If you chose not to make a payment then your request will remain unanswered.

**Yours sincerely**

Bronwen Salmon

Freedom of Information Project Officer

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**Steven Harding**

**Head of Information Management**

The information supplied in connection with this application will be used for the purpose of the administering of this request and to ensure the accuracy of Police systems.