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Your ref:  
Our ref: 01/FOI/20/017171

11/12/2020

Dear Mr Williams

**Freedom of Information Review Reference No: 01/FOI/20/017171**

I write in connection with your request for a review of the handling and/or decision relating to 01/FOI/20/016477 which was received by the Metropolitan Police Service (MPS) on 09/12/2020.

A review will now be conducted in accordance with the Code of Practice issued under Section 45 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (the Act). The reviewing officer will reconsider the original request before responding to you with their findings.

There is no statutory time limit in relation to the completion of an Internal Review. However, the MPS aim to complete Internal Reviews within 20 working days or in exceptional cases, within 40 working days. This is based upon guidance published by the Information Commissioner.

If it is not possible to complete the Internal Review within this timescale you will be informed at the earliest opportunity.

If you are unhappy with the outcome of an Internal Review you may wish to refer the matter to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO).

For information on how to make an application to the Information Commissioner please visit their website at [www.ico.org.uk](http://www.ico.org.uk). Alternatively, write to or phone:

Information Commissioner's Office  
Wycliffe House  
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Yours sincerely

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