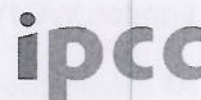


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15 November 2016

Dear Miss Williams

Thank you for your information request to the IPCC, dated 10 November 2016. This request has been treated in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000(FOIA).

In your request you have asked for

*"1. How many complaints has the IPCC received regarding Chief Constable of Gwent Police – Jeff Farrar?"*

*Therefore, I require the total number of complaints received by the IPCC since Jeff Farrar was appointed as Chief Constable for Gwent Police. Hence, please provide the missing data for 2013/14 and 2014/15.*

I can confirm that we hold this information and I have provided it below for you.

In 2013/14 we received no referrals or direct complaints regarding Chief Constable Jeff Farrar

In 2014/15 we received 1 referral & 2 direct complaints regarding Chief Constable Jeff Farrar

If you have any queries or concerns about this letter please do not hesitate to contact me. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications about this request.

If you are not satisfied with this response you may request an independent internal review by our FOI appeals officer, who has had no involvement in dealing with your request. If you wish to complain about any aspect of this decision, please contact:

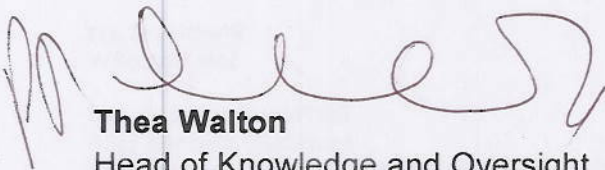
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All emails requesting a review should be sent **directly** to: [foi@ipcc.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:foi@ipcc.gsi.gov.uk)

Should you remain dissatisfied after this internal review, you will have a right of complaint to the Information Commissioner; however, I should point out that under section 50(2)(a) of the Freedom of Information Act, you are normally obliged to exhaust the IPCC's own internal complaint mechanism before complaining to the Information Commissioner.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Thea Walton', written in a cursive style.

**Thea Walton**

Head of Knowledge and Oversight

**Independent Police Complaints Commission**