



22nd June 2018

Freedom of Information Request Reference N°: FOI 001999/18

I write in connection with your request for information received by the Norfolk and Suffolk Constabularies on the 6th June 2018 in which you sought access to the following information:

Please can you tell me how many police officers in your force have been under investigation for perpetrating domestic abuse related incidents in each of the years 2017, 2016, and 2015.

Response to your Request

The response provided below is correct as of 19th June 2018.

Norfolk and Suffolk Constabularies have located the following information as relevant to your request.

A review of cases recorded by the Joint Professional Standards Department has been undertaken for the calendar years 2015, 2016 and 2017. The following number of cases is where an officer has been recorded as the alleged perpetrator, in relation to a domestic related incident, and the report has been referred to PSD as per the force policy.

NORFOLK

2015	1
2016	1
2017	1

The decision taken by Professional Standards was that two of the officers were found to have no case to answer and one officer received Management Action.

SUFFOLK

2015	2
2016	1
2017	3

The decision taken by Professional Standards was the four cases were not misconduct and were recorded for reference only. One officer received Management Action and one officer received a Final Written Warning at a misconduct meeting for breaches of Standards of Professional Behaviour.

This response will be published on the Constabularies web-site under the Freedom of Information pages:-

https://www.norfolk.police.uk/about-us/our-data/disclosure-log https://www.suffolk.police.uk/services/freedom-information/disclosure-logs

Should you have any further queries concerning this request, please contact Amanda Gibson, FOI Decision Maker, quoting the reference number shown above.

A full copy of the Freedom of Information Act (2000) can be viewed on the 'Office of Public Sector Information' web-site;

http://www.opsi.gov.uk/

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Your Right to Request a Review of Decisions Made Under the Terms of the Freedom of Information Act (2000).

If you are unhappy with how your request has been handled, or if you think the decision is incorrect, you have the right to ask the Norfolk and Suffolk Constabulary to review their decision.

Ask Norfolk and Suffolk Constabularies to look at the decision again.

If you are dissatisfied with the decision made by Norfolk and Suffolk Constabularies under the Freedom of Information Act (2000), regarding access to information, you must notify the Norfolk and Suffolk Constabulary that you are requesting a review within 20 days of the date of its response to your Freedom of Information request. Requests for a review should be made in writing and addressed to:

Freedom of Information Decision Maker Information Management Department Norfolk Constabulary Operations and Communications Centre Jubilee House Falconers Chase Wymondham Norfolk NR18 0WW

Email: freedomofinformation@norfolk.pnn.police.uk

In all possible circumstances Norfolk and Suffolk Constabulary will aim to respond to your request for us to look at our decision again within 20 working days of receipt of your request for an internal review.

The Information Commissioner.

After lodging a request for a review with Norfolk and Suffolk Constabulary, if you are still dissatisfied with the decision, you can apply to the Information Commissioner for a decision on whether the request for information has been dealt with in accordance with the requirements of the Act.

For information on how to make application to the Information Commissioner please visit their website at www.ico.org.uk or contact them at the address shown below:

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

Telephone: 01625 545 700