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POLICE AND CRIME
COMMISSIONER

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Request

I have been unable to use the FOI request form on your website as it is not functioning

I refer to FOI response 90 - 14 in which you state that the Commissioner and his staff have a BMW 530 vehicle available as a pool car.

I would like the following information.

Is this vehicle still available as a pool car

If not has it been replaced with another pool car

What is the make and model of current pool car if there is one.

Does the current pool car have emergency equipment, i.e. blue lights and audible warning sirens

How often is the pool car used for police operational or training purposes

Please provide a breakdown of the usage of this vehicle including how often it is used by the Commissioner and his staff and for what purposes.

Is the pool car used by the commissioner or his staff to travel to and from work

Is the pool car kept at police premises overnight and if not where is it kept

Amended and Clarified request:

Can you please confirm that the Police and crime Commissioner and his Staff still have access to a BMW 530 vehicle for use as a pool car and if so my request is for the following information?

1. In the last 12 months how many times has the vehicle been used by the Police and Crime Commissioner himself for business use.
2. In the past 12 months how many times has the vehicle been used by other members of the Police and Crime Commissioners' staff for business use.
3. In the past 12 months how many times has the vehicle been kept overnight away from police premises.
4. In the past 12 months how many times has the vehicle been used by the Police and Crime Commissioner to travel to or from work.

5. In the past 12 months how many times has the vehicle been used by the Police and Crime Commissioners' staff to travel to or from work.

5. In the past 12 months how many times has the vehicle been used for police operational or training use?

Response 1:

Please Note: The Police and Crime Commissioner and his staff still have access to the BMW 530 vehicle as a pool car.

I can confirm that the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner does hold the information requested. During the Calendar year 2015 the Police and Crime Commissioner has used the above vehicle on **nineteen (19) occasions** for business purposes.

Response 2:

I can confirm that the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner does hold the information requested. During the Calendar year 2015, Staff of the Police and Crime Commissioner have used the above vehicle on a **hundred and five (105) occasions** for business purposes.

Response 3:

I can confirm that the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner does hold the information requested. During the Calendar year 2015 there have been **eleven (11) occasions** whereby the above vehicle has been kept overnight away from police premises.

Response 4:

I can confirm that the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner does hold the information requested. During the Calendar year 2015 the Police and Crime Commissioner has used the above vehicle on **one (1) occasion** to travel to and from work.

Response 5:

I can confirm that the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner does hold the information requested. During the Calendar year 2015, the Staff of the Police and Crime Commissioner **have not used** the above vehicle to travel to and from work.

Response 6:

I can confirm that the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner does hold the information requested. During the Calendar year 2015 there have been **six (6) occasions** where the vehicle has been used for training purposes and **zero (0) occasions** for operational use.

(This is a response under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and disclosed on 23.03.16)