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Address Correspondence to: Information Management

Date 27 January 2021

Freedom of Information Act 2000

I write further to your request for information received 04/01/2021.

I note you seek access to the following information:

Do all male police officers from Leicester Police get issued with custodian helmets, peaked caps and baseball caps and do they have a choice as to what kind of hat they wear whilst on duty?

Following receipt of your request, searches were conducted within Leicestershire Police to locate information relevant to your request.

Your request for information has now been considered and the information asked for is as follows: -

Leicestershire Police no longer issue the custodian helmet or peaked caps to SPC's/PC's/PS's only the baseball cap/bump cap. Officers in ranks of Inspector and above have access to order the peaked cap.
If an officer still has access to the custodian/peaked cap which may have been issued to them prior to us changing to the baseball cap/bump cap then they can still make use of them and wear them whilst on duty.

Leicestershire Police provides you the right to ask for a re-examination of your request under its review procedure. Letters should be addressed to Information Manager, Corporate Services Department at the above address. If you decide to request such a review and having followed the Force's full process you are still dissatisfied, then you have the right to direct your comments to the Information Commissioner who will give it consideration.

Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Officer
Leicestershire Police

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