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Address Correspondence to: Information Management

Date 29 September 2021

Freedom of Information Act 2000

I write further to your request for information received 02/08/2021.

I note you seek access to the following information:

I request a copy of your force's policy and/or procedure on the use of the Airwave digital radio network . I would like to receive this in a format accessible to a screenreader (e.g. not a scanned PDF).

I am happy for you — and would, in fact, encourage you — to make whatever redactions you require in the interests of operational or commercial sensitivity. I would ask that you consider redactions to whatever extent they are necessary, as opposed to withholding the policy and/or procedure entirely.

If, for any reason, you require clarification of this request or any further details from me, please let me know as soon as possible. I look forward to hearing from you on or before 2 September 2021.

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 does have a comprehensive package for users. However, the content of the package is taken from National Procedures and Policies which is provided to us by the College of Policing Airwave Training Office and Home Office Communications in Policing (OCIP). This is to ensure consistency in user standards all across the Country and we have to demonstrate to retain Home Office Airwave Accreditation.

Leicestershire Police do not own the information you have requested.
May I therefore suggest you refer your request to the Home Office.

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.

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Leicestershire Police

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