

Please ask for : Alethea Fuller
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Our Reference: 2022-00525
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Date: 03/06/2024

Dear FOI Applicant,

Thank you for your freedom of information request received in this office on **6 May** 2024 in which you asked:

'Please could you confirm, for the calendar year 2023 (or tax year Apr 2022-Mar 2023, whichever is easiest to calculate):

- 1) the running costs of Lloyd House in Birmingham*
- 2) what percentage or how much £ of those costs were to house the PCC and their staff?*
- 3) the number of, and costs for holding, any committees or sub-committees working for or representing the PCC*
- 4) the number of days the PCC spent engaging directly with members of the public'*

In response to your request, I can confirm that the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner (OPCC) holds the following information.

- 1) The running costs of Lloyd House in Birmingham in 22/23 were £2.634M.
- 2) The percentage of those costs used to house the PCC and their staff was 1.8% of total floor space, giving a notional cost to the OPCC of £46,727.
- 3) We requested further clarification from yourself, which we did not receive.
- 4) The Police and Crime Commissioner (PCC) has spent an estimated 136 days engaging with members of the public. This does not include every instance whereby the PCC may have attended celebrations or events that have involved members of the public.

Freedom of Information Right of Appeal

Any person who has requested information from the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner (OPCC) and is unhappy with the way their request for information has been handled can request a review of their case.

A request for review must be made in writing by letter or email. You should include the reference number of your request if you have it, and outline why you are requesting the review to:

Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner
Lloyd House
Birmingham

B4 6NQ

Telephone: 0121 626 6060

Email: wmpcc@west-midlands.pnn.police.uk

All requests for review will be recorded. Receipt of a request for internal review will be acknowledged and the appellant informed of an estimated date for determining the outcome. The OPCC will attempt to respond to internal reviews as soon as practicable and in any case within two months.

All investigations will be undertaken by someone not involved in the original response.

The result of any internal review will be communicated to the appellant outlining the decisions taken.

If you remain dissatisfied with the handling of your request or complaint, you have a right to appeal to the Information Commissioner at:

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

Telephone: 08456 30 60 60 or 01625 54 57 45

Website: www.ico.gov.uk

There is no charge for making a request for internal review or appeal to the Information Commissioner.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'A Fuller', enclosed in a thin black rectangular border.

Alethea Fuller
Deputy Chief Executive