Please ask for : Andrea Gabbitas Telephone Number: 0121 626 6060

Our Reference: 2025-00010 wmpcc@westmidlands.police.uk



Date: 02/09/2025

Dear FOI Applicant,

Thank you for your freedom of information request received in this office on 7 August 2025 in which you asked:

"please could you also confirm the amount provided to DA support services for 25/26?"

This relates to a request submitted on 6 March 2025. The March request asked two questions, the second question asked for:

'The total amount of funding to be provided to organisations supporting victim-survivors of domestic abuse in your force area, for the 25/26 financial year.'

Our response was sent on 25 March and in our response to question two it said:

2. OPCC – £3,794,322.80 - VRP - Budgets not yet confirmed

The VRP funding for domestic abuse in the force area is now confirmed. For 2025-26, the Violence Reduction Partnership provided Birmingham and Solihull Women's Aid with £103,042.00 for Violence Reduction Partnership Domestic Abuse Prevention.

## 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,

Andrea Gabbitas

Head of Business Services

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