

Date: 19th August 2020

Our Reference: FOIA-2020-096

RE: Your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

I write in response to your Freedom of Information Act 2000 (or 'FoIA 2000') request dated **17/07/2020** in which you requested:

"Please provide me with all the records you hold in relation to what training new officers are given in respect of the law before they are deemed suitable to hold a warrant card. This includes teaching materials that form part of the three year degree apprenticeship where it relates to training officers in law and police codes of practise.

Please note that I am not seeking an overview of the objectives of that training, but rather a full breakdown of the materials and tutoring provided to new officers."

Decision

After conducting careful searches for any information relevant to your request I can confirm there is **no information held**.

The College is only able to provide an overview of the learning outcomes for the Police Constable Degree Apprenticeship (PCDA). As you have specified that you are 'not seeking an overview of the objectives', we are not able to provide you with any information.

Each force, or collaboration, develops their own content and learning resources to deliver the learning outcomes for the PCDA. Therefore, we are not able to provide 'a full breakdown of the materials and tutoring provided to new officers'. We recommend you make your request directly to a police force, or to several forces, rather than to the College.

Your rights are provided at the bottom of this letter.

Yours sincerely,

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Your right of review

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 you have a right to request an internal review if you are dissatisfied with our handling of your request. Review requests should be made in writing (by email or post) within **40 working days** from the date of our original response. We will aim to respond to your review request within **20 working days**.

The Information Commissioner's Office (ICO)

If, after lodging a review request you are still dissatisfied, you may raise the matter with the ICO. For further information you can visit their website at <https://ico.org.uk/for-the-public/official-information/>. Alternatively, you can contact them by phone or write to them at the following address:

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