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GOGLEDD CYMRU
NORTH WALES
POLICE

Response Date:17/12/2024

2024/1164 - Operator Initiated Facial Recognition app

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

Please provide the following information relevant to your Police Force between the dates of January 1st 2023 and December 15th 2024;

- 1. Have your police officers received training in the use of OIFR?**
 - a. Provide all dates, locations of training**
 - b. Provide details of those who were running training sessions/demonstrations**
- 2. Has your police force deployed OIFR? If true;**
 - a. Declare how many times it has been used, stating when and where.**
- 3. Has your police force observed demonstrations of OIFR? If true;**
 - a. Provide dates and locations of demonstrations**
- 4. Has your police force tested OIFR? If true;**
 - a. Provide dates and locations of testing**
 - b. Was this testing done in private, or used on civilians**
- 5. Does the police force have access to the OIFR app? If true;**
 - a. State how long the police force has had access to the OIFR app**

Furthermore, please also declare if there are future plans to deploy OIFR in your police force.

North Wales Police do not use OFIR, and we therefore do not hold any information in relation to your request.

THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST
UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000, AND IS CORRECT AS AT 16/12/2024