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Response Date:08/04/2024

2024/317 - Use of Telegram by officers to upload and share people's personal information?

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

The IC has issued Kent Police with a reprimand over the uploading of personal information onto the social media app Telegram. The reprimand includes:

'At the time of the ICO's investigation it was stated that there were a total of 241 Group members, with Kent Police making up almost 10% of the membership.'

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1. Please provide information on the number of officers from your force who were members of the Telegram group.

2. Please provide details of any disciplinary action you have taken against these officers.

3. Please provide the number of individuals who had their personal information uploaded onto Telegram by officers from your force.

No information is held in relation to your request.

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