



Response Date:07/04/2026

2026/300 - Rest Days

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

How many Rest Days are owed to Constables, Sergeants, Inspectors and Chief Inspectors in your force?

Can you give this information as of 1 March 2026?

As of 1st March 2026, for Constables, Sergeants, Inspectors and Chief Inspectors (including substantive, temporary and acting officers), the leave management system records Rest Day entitlement in decimal hours. The total Rest Days owed for these ranks is:

166,514.98 hours

The system does not calculate entitlement in days, as the length of a "day" varies by shift pattern (typically averaging between 8 and 12 hours).

For the purposes of this request, an 8-hour day has been applied, based on the standard 40-hour working week over 5 days. This does not reflect all individual working patterns.

On this basis, the total Rest Days owed equates to:

20,814.3725 days.

THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST
UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000, AND IS CORRECT AS AT 07/04/2026

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