



**HEDDLU
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NORTH WALES
POLICE**

Response Date: 20/03/2026

2026/337 - Opal National Intelligence Unit for Serious Organised Acquisitive Crime

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

Freedom of Information Act 2000 — Request for Information This request relates specifically to the Opal National Intelligence Unit for Serious Organised Acquisitive Crime (SOAC), which is hosted by North Wales Police on behalf of the National Police Chiefs' Council (NPCC). It does not relate to North Wales Police's own local operations.

I request the following information:

Whether the Opal unit currently uses, or has at any point trialled or piloted, any software, platform, or services provided by Palantir Technologies Inc. or any of its subsidiaries.

No.

Copies of any contracts, procurement records, purchase orders, or memoranda of understanding between the Opal unit (or North Wales Police acting on its behalf) and Palantir Technologies.

N/A

Any communications between the Opal unit and the NPCC Central Referral Unit (CRU) regarding the disclosure — or non-disclosure — of information relating to Palantir Technologies.

N/A

The names of any third-party technology companies currently providing intelligence analysis, data processing, or investigative platform software to the Opal unit.

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We also have access to Auror and Shopsy as search databases, no data is entered into the systems for storage / viewing by other parties using the system.

THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST
UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000, AND IS CORRECT AS AT 18/03/2026

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