



Response Date:10/08/2026

2026/746 - External secondments

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

I seek statistical information on all officers and staff currently on external secondment to organisations such as other forces, international bodies, the College of Policing and HMICFRS.

- 1. Please provide the number of officers broken down by rank at each place of secondment.**
- 2. Please provide the number of staff broken down by grade at each place of secondment.**
- 3. For 1 and 2, please state the number of officers and staff, respectively, whose salaries you are responsible for paying during the course of their secondment (either directly or indirectly).**

Clarification:

I am interested only in those employees whose salaries you fund from your budget, thank you; therefore, please exclude:

- i. salary costs you reclaim from external organisations; and**
- ii. salary costs covered by grant payments.**

North Wales Police do not hold any information in relation to your request as there was a 'nil' return.

Any additional information relating to bodies dealing with security matters is exempt under section 23 (5) - Information Supplied by , or concerning certain security bodies. As this is an absolute exemption, therefore there is no requirement to conduct a public interest test.

Therefore, in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000, this letter acts as a Refusal Notice under section 17 (1) of the legislation.

THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST
UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000, AND IS CORRECT AS AT 24/07/2026

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