



WEST MERCIA PCC: DISCLOSURE LOG RESPONSE TO REQUEST

Reference: FOI Request 2015-116

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FOI Query

1. How many of the police officers in your force area work on the operational frontline?
2. How many were on the operational frontline on January 1st 2012?
3. How many police stations have closed in your area since you took office?
4. Could you provide details of how often Home Office ministers have made an official visit to you in your capacity as Police and Crime Commissioner? Specifically, I would like to know the date of the visit, who the minister was, and what was the official purpose of that visit.

Response

1. This information is available on the HMIC website, found here <http://www.justiceinspectors.gov.uk/hmic/peel-assessments/peel-2015/west-mercia/key-facts/>
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3. The following police stations have been disposed of and replaced by a Community Policing Post within the same town in a shared facility with partners:
Bewdley
Cleobury Mortimer
Craven Arms
Albrighton
Ellesmere
Newport

Complaints

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If you think that the Police and Crime Commissioner has failed to supply information in accordance with the publication scheme, then you should write in the first instance, to the:

Chief Executive, OPCC – West Mercia, PO Box 487, Shrewsbury, SY2 6WB

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Broadway
Hagley
Wythall

A Community Policing Post is a location, within the community, which is used primarily to maximise the time spent by officers and staff within those communities. The majority are already accessed by the public and therefore they may also be used by officers and staff to meet with local people. The old Bromsgrove police station has been disposed of and a new joint Fire/Police station opened in the town.

4. No official visits have been made to the Commissioner in his capacity as Police and Crime Commissioner.

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