



**WEST MERCIA PCC: DISCLOSURE LOG
RESPONSE TO REQUEST**

**Reference: 2020 – 212 / WE3183
Date of response: 30th September 2020**

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 – INFORMATION REQUEST.

Request.

I am writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. In order to assist you with this request, I am outlining my query as specifically as possible.

The information I apply for under the aforesaid Act concerns the sale of the following property [REDACTED]:

**3 Police Houses, (aka The Coppers)
Park Street
Oswestry
SY11 2HF**

A planning application, reference number 20/01426/FUL was also made that included a change of use from commercial to private use that included a strip of land that was shown in the Title Deeds as being a part of Oswestry Police Station.

I would like copies of the following:

- Correspondence, electronic, written and telephone notes that relate to the above transaction(s).

I would be interested in any information held by your organisation regarding my request. I understand that I do not have to specify particular files or documents and that it is the organisation's responsibility to provide the information I require. If you need further clarification, please contact me by email, post or telephone.

I would like to receive the information in hard copy and/or by email.

If my request is denied in whole or in part, I ask that you justify all deletions by reference to specific exemptions of the Act. I will also expect you to release all non-

exempt material. I reserve the right to appeal your decision to withhold any information or to charge excessive fees.

I would be grateful if you could confirm in writing that you have received this request. I look forward to your response within 20 working days, as outlined by the statute.

Response.

Please see the below response to your request.

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 any redacted or withheld information is exempt from disclosure under one or both of the following:

Section 41 – Information provided in confidence.

(1) Information is exempt information if-

(b) the disclosure of the information to the public (otherwise than under this Act) by the public authority holding it would constitute a breach of confidence actionable by that or any other person.

Section 43 – Commercial interests.

(2) Information is exempt if its disclosure under this Act would, or would be likely to, prejudice the commercial interests of any person (including the public authority holding it).

In addition to the attached document, a Decision Notice relating to the sale of the land can be found on our website.

Should you have any further enquiries concerning this matter, please write to the Information Compliance Unit; Information Compliance Unit, PO Box 55, Worcester, WR3 8SP. Email: information@westmercia.pnn.police.uk

Yours sincerely,

**FOI Officer
West Mercia PCC**

Complaints

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, Hindlip Hall, Worcester. WR3 8SP

The PCC will aim to deal with your complaint within 10 working days. If you are dissatisfied with the response you can ask for the matter to be internally reviewed. Internal reviews will be completed promptly and a response given to you within 20 working days of your further request.

If, after the internal review, you remain dissatisfied, then you can complain to the Information Commissioner (Office of the Information Commissioner), Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF).