

## Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) Decision notice

**Date:** 12 July 2024

**Public Authority:** Commissioner of the City of London Police

**Address:** Police Headquarters  
Guildhall Yard East  
London  
EC2V 5AE

### **Request:**

The complainant requested the following information from the City of London Police on 29 October 2023:

"I am writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Specifically, I would like to request data regarding officers who have been disciplined for misconduct within City of London Police over the past five years.

I kindly request the following information for each case:

The rank of the officer involved.

The date and nature of the misconduct.

The disciplinary action taken as a result of the misconduct.

Any relevant case numbers or references.

It may be pertinent to supply me this data in a spreadsheet or other structured data format.

I believe that this information is of public interest and can help to ensure transparency and accountability within the police force. Please provide the

requested data for cases occurring between 01 October 2018 and 01 October 2023.”

**Commissioner’s Decision:**

A public authority will breach section 10 of FOIA if it fails to respond to a request within 20 working days. Based on evidence available to the Commissioner, by the date of this notice the public authority has not issued a substantive response to this request. Therefore the Commissioner finds a breach of section 10.

**Steps:**

The public authority must provide a substantive response to the request in accordance with its obligations under FOIA.

The public authority must take this step within 30 calendar days of the date of this decision notice. Failure to comply may result in the Commissioner making written certification of this fact to the High Court pursuant to section 54 of FOIA and may be dealt with as a contempt of court.

**Right of Appeal:**

Either party has the right to appeal against this decision notice to the First-tier Tribunal (Information Rights). Information about the appeals process may be obtained from:

First-tier Tribunal (Information Rights)  
GRC & GRP Tribunals,  
PO Box 9300,  
LEICESTER,  
LE1 8DJ

Tel: 0203 936 8963

Fax: 0870 739 5836

Email: [grc@justice.gov.uk](mailto:grc@justice.gov.uk)

Website: [www.justice.gov.uk/tribunals/general-regulatory-chamber](http://www.justice.gov.uk/tribunals/general-regulatory-chamber)

Any Notice of Appeal should be served on the Tribunal within 28 (calendar) days of the date on which this decision notice is sent.

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Water Lane  
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