

**Force Disclosure Unit**

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Date: 14 July 2022

Your ref:

Our ref: FOI 2022/364

Reply contact name is: Lloyd Tilbury

Dear,

I write in connection with your request for information, dated 24th May 2022, concerning contact details.

I am required by the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to handle all requests in a manner that is blind as to the identity and motives of the requestor. Any information released as a response to a request is regarded as being published and therefore in the public domain without caveat.

Following receipt of your request, searches were conducted with the Staff Officers to Chief Constable of Wiltshire Police.

Your request for information has now been considered and it is not possible to meet your requirements in full.

You wrote:

1. The email address for your Chief Constable.
2. The phone number for your Chief Constable.

In regards to the email and phone number for your chief constable, I am not requesting their personal phone number and email address, just the one that they use for their work. So for instance, kier.pritchard@wiltshire.police.uk, so this is not private information.

Response:

On reviewing your original Freedom of Information request, the response provided to you and your request for an Internal Review, I uphold the exemption for one of your Questions.

In relation to Question One, I can confirm that the email addresses for the Chief Constable are:

Kier.pritchard@wiltshire.police.uk and chief@wiltshire.police.uk



In regards to Question Two, I uphold the original decision of Section 40(2). To confirm, the information that you are requesting for this question is exempt as disclosing this information would breach the Data Protection Act 2018, specifically Principle One (Fairness).

Section 40 is a class based absolute exemption, for that reason there is no requirement to articulate the harm in disclosure or a requirement for the public interest test.

However, under our Section 16 obligation to provide advice and assistance, I have been advised by the Staff Officers to Chief Constable that you can phone 101 and ask to be put through to his office.

Section 17 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 requires Wiltshire Police, when refusing to provide information (because the information is exempt) to provide you the applicant with a notice which: (a) states that fact, (b) specifies the exemption in question and (c) states (if that would not otherwise be apparent) why the exemption applies. In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000 this letter acts as a Refusal Notice for those aspects of your request.

Exemption applied:

Section 40(2) – Personal Information

Wiltshire Police would like to thank you for the interest that you have shown in the Force.

Yours sincerely,

Lloyd Tilbury
Principal Decision Maker

Wiltshire Police offers a re-examination of your case under its review procedure.



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Freedom of Information Request Appeals Procedure

1. Who Can Ask for a Review

Any person who has requested information from Wiltshire Police, which has been dealt with under the Freedom of Information Act, is entitled to complain and request an internal review, if they are dissatisfied with the response they received.

2. How to Request a Review

Requests for review of a Freedom of Information request must be made in writing to the:
Force Disclosure Unit
Wiltshire Police Headquarters,
London Road, Devizes,
Wiltshire,
SN10 2DN

Email at disclosure@wiltshire.police.uk.

The reference number, date of the request and details of why the review is being requested must be included. Requests for review should be brought to the attention of the Force Disclosure Unit within 20 working days of the Force's response to the original FoI request.

3. Review Procedure

Receipt of a request for review will be acknowledged in writing to include confirmation of the reasons for the review. The review will be conducted by another Decision Maker, who is independent from the original Decision Maker. The Force Disclosure Unit will set a target date for a response. The response will be made as soon as is practicable with the intention to complete the review within twenty working days. In more complex cases the review may take up to 40 working days.

The Independent Decision Maker will conduct a review of the handling of the request for information and of decisions taken, including decisions taken about where the public interest lies in respect of exempt information where applicable. The review enables a re-evaluation of the case, taking into account the matters raised by the complaint.

4. Conclusion of the Appeal

On completion of the review the Independent Decision Maker will reply to the complainant with the result of the review. If the complainant is still dissatisfied following the review they should contact the Information Commissioner to make an appeal. The Information Commissioner can be contacted via the following details:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF
Tel: 01625 545 700
Fax: 01625 524 510
Email: mail@ico.gsi.gov.uk

Please note that the ICO's offices will be closed for the foreseeable future and are therefore unable to receive correspondence via post.

If you should wish you contact them, please visit <https://ico.org.uk/global/contact-us/>