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Email to: xxxxxxx@xxxxx.xx.xx

Dear Mr xxxxxxx

FOI Request: FOI 14/16

I write in connection with your request for information sent to the Police and Crime Commissioner for Derbyshire on 19 February 2016. A note of your request and our response can be found below:

How many of the police officers in your force area work on the operational frontline? How many were on the operational frontline on January 1st 2012.

- HMIC 2011 defined the front line as *‘those who are in everyday contact with the public and who directly intervene to keep people safe and enforce the law’*.

The figures below are based on the HMIC’s frontline model for 2014.

As at 31st March in each year below

	2012	2013	2014	2015
Front Line	1634.86	1638.84	1627.95	1722.28
Operational Support	127.23	130.01	95.61	105.21
Business Support	30.4	29.05	21.09	25.28
Total (exc codes 62)	1792.49	1797.9	1744.65	1852.77
codes 62 (maternity/career break/Suspended)	26.02	29.11	43.64	10.35
Total on ADR	1818.51	1827.01	1788.29	1863.12
	2012	2013	2014	2015
% Front Line	91.2%	91.2%	93.3%	93.0%
% Operational Support	7.1%	7.2%	5.5%	5.7%
% Business Support	1.7%	1.6%	1.2%	1.4%
Total (exc codes 62 (maternity/career break/Su	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%	100.0%

*Note : The FTE data in 2015 is **not** comparable with the previous 3 years as in early 2015 we received confirmation from the Home Office that our regional staff should be included in our data returns (the previous 3 years excluded these regional officers from the total).*

How many police stations have closed in your area since you took office?

- *The Force have closed one section station, this was Belper police station on 30-06-2014.*

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.

- *There have been no official visits made by Home Office ministers.*

Your reference number is FOI14/16 and we ask that you retain this number for use in any future correspondence. Should you have any further enquiries concerning this matter, please contact Liz Kelly on 03001226007 or email quoting the reference number.

Yours faithfully

Electronically Signed

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