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By email only:

Dear

## FOI Request: FOI 55/2019

I write in connection with your request for information which we have processed under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 regarding the following:

Following the news story that Northumbria Police paid a known child rapist £10,000 of tax payers money, I'd like to know if my taxes have been used in a similar fashion by the police force I pay my precept for.

Can you therefore tell me if Derbyshire Constabulary;

- Have ever, in the past, given money to someone who is a known child rapist or paedophile?

- Currently has any known child rapists or paedophiles as informants on the books that are being given money?

- Would consider giving money to a known child rapist or paedophile in the future?

## Simple questions that require nothing more than a simple 'yes' or 'no'.

This is to inform you that the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Derbyshire does not hold the information you have requested based on the information you have provided and a thorough check of our records.

If you are not satisfied with our response to your request, under Section 17 of the FOIA of the FOIA you are entitled to ask for an internal review of our decision. Any internal review needs to be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of this

response and state why you are unhappy with the response. You can submit an internal review in the following ways:

- emailing the OPCC Inbox <u>PCCOffice@Derbyshire.PNN.Police.UK</u> or;
- writing to the OPCC at The Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Derbyshire Butterley Hall Ripley Derbyshire DE5 3RS

By phone – 0300 122 6000 (as a reasonable adjustment under the Equality Act 2010).

If you are not satisfied with the outcome of the internal review under Section 50 of the FOIA you can apply directly to the Information Commissioner (ICO) for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the internal review procedure provided by the OPCC. You can contact the ICO in the following ways:

- online at the ICO <u>https://ico.org.uk/global/contact-us/</u> or;
- writing to the ICO at Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF

Yours sincerely

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Marie Romano On behalf of the Police and Crime Commissioner