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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST



Request Number: F-2008-04375
Keyword: Finance
Subject: CHIEF CONSTABLE EXPENSES - 2008

Request:

Could I have an itemised breakdown of the Chief Constable expenses incurred for the period of January- March 2008 including an itemised breakdown of:

- (a) Air fares;**
- (b) Accommodation;**
- (c) Meals;**
- (d) Other transportation;**
- (e) Refunds**

Answer:

This is to inform you that the Police Service of Northern Ireland has now completed its search for the information you requested. The decision has been taken to disclose the located information to you in full.

Please find attached 0000001682.pdf, which contains the requested information.

If you have any queries regarding your request or the decision please do not hesitate to contact me on 028 9070 0164. When contacting the Freedom of Information Team, please quote the reference number listed at the beginning of this email.

If you are dissatisfied in any way with the handling of your request, you have the right to request a review. You should do this as soon as possible, or in any case within two months of the date of issue of this letter. In the event that you require a review to be undertaken, you can do so by writing to the Head of Freedom of Information, PSNI Headquarters, 65 Knock Road, Belfast, BT5 6LE or by emailing foi@psni.pnn.police.uk.

If following an internal review, carried out by an independent decision maker, you were to remain dissatisfied in any way with the handling of the request you may make a complaint, under Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act, to the Information Commissioner's Office and ask that they investigate whether the PSNI has complied with the terms of the Freedom of Information Act. You can write to the Information Commissioner at Information Commissioner's Office,

Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. In most circumstances the Information Commissioner will not investigate a complaint unless an internal review procedure has been carried out, however the Commissioner has the option to investigate the matter at his discretion.

Please be advised that all PSNI replies under Freedom of Information will be released simultaneously into the public domain via our website @ www.psni.police.uk.

Personal details in respect of your request have, where applicable, been removed to protect confidentiality.

EXPENSES SUMMARY**CHIEF CONSTABLE**

MONTH	Jan-Mar
YEAR	2008

NUMBER	DESTINATIONS	PURPOSE	COSTS						TOTAL COST
			AIR FARES	OTHER TRAVEL	ACCOMMODATION	MEALS	MISC	REFUNDS	
1	London	SOCA Briefing/ACPO Cabinet/Meeting DCC Cumbria	£295.10	£53.50	£155.00				£503.60
2	London	Leadership Services Board/Meeting HMI	£295.10	£48.50					£343.60
3	London	CC Council/SCC Dinner	£295.10	£28.50					£323.60
4	London	SAP	£311.10						£311.10
5	London	NI Affairs committee	£326.10	£63.80					£389.90
6	London	SPNAC					£174.44		£0.00
7	London	ACPO Cabinet	£311.10	£14.50					£325.60
8	New York Washington	Briefings/Media Interviews/Speaking Engagements re St Patrick's Day - Refund on BA flight due to requirement changes	£10,084.97	£29.05	£724.41			£5,071.80	£5,766.63
			TOTAL FOR MONTH						£7,789.59

SUMMARY	
ACPO	Association of Chief Police Officers
SOCA	Serious Organised Crime Agency
SCC	Strategic Command Course
CCs	Chief Constable's Council
NIAC	Northern Ireland Affairs Committee
SPNAC	Senior Police National Assessment Centre
SAP	Senior Appointment Panel