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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST



Request Number: F-2009-01782

Keyword: Human Resources

Subject: OFFICERS TRANSFERRING TO PSNI

Request and Answer:

Question 1

How many officers have transferred to PSNI since 2006 above the rank of Constable?

Answer

28

Question 2

When are you likely to be seeking transfers of officers in the rank of Sergeant and above?

Answer

There are no current intentions to seek transfers of Sergeants from other police services.

Question 3

How many Constables currently have part 1 Sergeants qualification and are awaiting selection for promotion?

Answer

28 Constables are recorded as only holding Sergeant OSPRE Part 1. A further 216 Constables are listed on the promotion list to the rank of Sergeant.

Question 4

How many Sergeants currently have part 1 Inspectors qualification and are waiting selection for promotion?

Answer

20 Sergeants are recorded as only holding Inspector's OSPRE Part 1. A further 96 Sergeants are listed on the promotion list for the rank of Inspector.

Question 5

How many officers have left the PSNI in order to be promoted to the next rank?

Answer

This Information is not recorded.

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