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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST



Request Number: F-2010-03303

Keyword: Human Resources

Subject: PSNI Establishment Strength/Actual for the Rank of Inspector

Request and Answer:

This is to inform you that the Police Service of Northern Ireland has now completed its search for the information you requested and the answer to your questions are as follows:

Question 1

Can you please advise what the PSNI Establishment strength for the rank of Inspector is as of 17th November 2010?

Answer

Establishment of 352 Inspectors in PSNI as at 17/11/2010.

Question 2

Can you please provide me with a breakdown as per District, followed by Area for the above Establishment strength as of 17th November 2010?

Answer

Please see table below.

Question 3

Can you please advise what the PSNI actual strength for the rank of Inspector is as of 17th November 2010?

Answer

Actual number of 337 Inspectors in PSNI as at 17/11/2010.

Question 4

Can you please provide me with a breakdown as per District, followed by Area for the above Actual strength as of 17th November?

Answer

Please see table below.

Question 5

Can you please advise what the PSNI Establishment strength for the rank of Sergeant is as of 17th November 2010?

Answer

Establishment of 1051 Sergeants in PSNI as at 17/11/2010.

Question 6

Can you please provide me with a breakdown as per District followed by Area for the above Establishment strength as of 17th November 2010?

Answer

Please see table below.

Question 7

Can you please advise what the PSNI Actual strength for the rank of Sergeant as of 17th November 2010?

Answer

Actual number of 1042 Sergeants in PSNI as at 17/11/2010.

Question 8

Can you please provide me with a breakdown as per District, followed by Area for the above Actual strength as of 17th November?

Answer

Please see table below.

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 letter.

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.

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

**Establishment and Actual Strength of Sergeants and Inspectors as at
17th November 2010**

17 November 2010		Insp		Sergt	
District	Area	Est	Act	Est	Act
A District	Antrim Road	4	3	16	14
	Grosvenor Road	6	9	20	20
	New Barnsley			1	1
	Tennent Street	6	4	20	20.75
	Woodbourne	2	1	9	9
	York Road	2	2	7	8
	Total		20	19	73
B District	Ballynafeigh			2	0
	Donegall Pass	3	3	8	4
	Lisburn Road	6	8	22	21
	Musgrave Street	4	4	18.5	16
	Strandtown	5	5	22	26.75
	Willowfield	3	3	6.5	6
	Total		21	23	79
C District	Bangor	6	6	21.5	17.75
	Comber			1	1
	Castlereagh	2	2	9	9
	Donaghadee	1	1		
	Dundonald	2	1	6	8
	Downpatrick	3	3	13	12
	Holywood	2	1	2	1
	Newtownards	4	4	14	12
	Newcastle			6	6
	Portaferry			1	1
	Saintfield	1	1	2	2
	Total		21	19	75.5
D District	Antrim	8	8	27	26
	Ballyclare			1	1
	Carrickfergus	1	1	1	0
	Dunmurry	1	1	5	5
	Glengormley	1	1	2	1
	Hillsborough	1	1	1	1
	Lisburn	9	10	30	25.5
	Moira			1	1
	Newtownabbey	6	5	19	18
	Randalstown			2	1
Total		27	27	89	79.5
E District	Ardmore	8	7	22	22
	Armagh	2	1	9	6
	Banbridge	3	4	17	20
	Bessbrook	1	1	5	5
	Crossmaglen			0	1

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	Craigavon	2	1	1	1
	Dromore(Down)			1	1
	Gilford			1	1
	Keady			1	1
	Kilkeel	1	1	2	2
	Lurgan	7	7	18	16
	Mahon Road	1	1	7	7
	Portadown			1	0
	Tandragee			1	1
	Warrenpoint			3	2
	Total	25	23	89	86
F District	Aughnacloy			1	1
	Beragh			1	1
	Clogher			1	1
	Coalisland			1	1
	Cookstown	1	1	11	10
	Dungannon	6	6	14	13
	Enniskillen	4	3	15	13
	Fintona			1	1
	Irvinestown			1	1
	Kesh			1	1
	Lisnaskea	1	1	2	3
	Omagh	6	4	27	27
	Total	18	15	76	73
G District	Castledearg			1	1
	Eglinton			1	1
	Limavady	2	2	15	12
	Maydown	1	1	2	1
	Maghera			1	1
	Magherafelt	2	1	9	7
	Strabane	2	2	10	9
	Strand Road	10	9	36	35
	Waterside	3	2	3	2
	Total	20	17	78	69
H District	Ballycastle	1	1	1	1
	Ballymena	5	4	21	19
	Ballymoney	1	1	2	2
	Bushmills			1	1
	Coleraine	7	6	28	26
	Garvagh	1	1	3	2
	Larne	1	1	10	9
	Portglenone			1	1
	Portrush	1	1	1	1
	Total	17	15	68	62