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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST



Request Number: F-2010-01809
Keyword: Operational Policing
Subject: Royal Irish Parade on 2 November 2008

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. The decision has been taken to disclose the located information to you in full.

Question 1

Could you provide me with the following information please.

How many files were sent to the PPSNI from the PSNI in relation to Royal Irish home-coming parade protest in 2/11/2008.

Answer

One file was sent to the Public Prosecution Service.

Question 2

How many of those files was there a prosecution brought forward.

Answer

No prosecutions followed.

Question 3

How many outstanding files have yet to be processed in relation to question one.

Answer

None

Question 4

How many files sent from the PSNI did the PPSNI reject for prosecution & what were the reasons for not seeking prosecution.

Answer

One file was forwarded to the PPS, however prosecutions could not be pursued, as individual offenders could not be positively identified.

Question 5

If there are any outstanding files yet to be processed in relation to question 1 & 3, could the PSNI provide documentation as to why there has been such a delay.

To help the PSNI with this request I don't require names or addresses of any member of the public in relation to this request.

Answer

There are no outstanding files.

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.

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