



FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST



Request Number: F-2012-01867

Keyword: Human Resources

Subject: Total Grafton Staff Under The RDR Committee Action Plan

Request and Answer:

Question

Follow on from F-2012-01689

Under the action plan currently approved by the RDR committee could you please advise how many Grafton staff will remain after this plan has completed.

Answer

Searches were conducted however they failed to locate any records relevant to your request based on the information you have provided. Accordingly, I have determined that the PSNI does not hold the information to which you seek access.

PSNI Human Resources Branch have advised that the primary purpose of using temporary workers is to cover vacancies temporarily. Therefore it is likely that vacancies will emerge over the coming weeks and months. Examples of such vacancies are resulting from maternity leave or long term sick absence. It is therefore not possible to provide the number of Grafton staff who will remain after the plan is completed.

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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