



FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST



Request Number: F-2018-00744

Keyword: Human Resources

Subject: PSNI Recruitment Campaign 1710

Request and Answer:

Your request for information has now been considered. In respect of Section 1(1)(a) of the Act I can confirm that the Police Service of Northern Ireland does hold information to which your request relates. The decision has been taken to disclose the following.

Request 1

What is the total number of applications received for the 1710 Recruitment Campaign?

Answer

The PSNI received 7696 applications for the 1710 Recruitment Campaign.

Request 2

Of this total number, how many passed the IST stage?

Answer

2405 candidates passed the IST stage of the Recruitment process.

Request 3

With regards to some candidates being brought forward to vetting, PCA and Medical before the Assessment Centre results. How many candidates have advanced on to these stages?

Answer

252 candidates are currently being processed through the PSNI Managed Stages of the Recruitment process.

Request 4

When is the first intake of Recruits from 1710 expected to start Training as Student Officers in the Police College Garnerville?

Answer

It is anticipated that the next Student Officer Training Course will commence in August 2018.

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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