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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

Request Number: FOI-2021-02789

Keyword: Finance

Subject: PSNI Landrovers

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

I am wanting to confirm the number police Landrovers, currently in operation and working order in Northern Ireland in the PSNI fleet.

Request 2

How much does it cost to purchase and service each of the Landrovers currently in operation and how many are there currently in operation?

Answer to Requests 1 & 2

The table below shows the number of Police landrovers currently in operation, the number in reserve, the cost range for each type and the average annual servicing cost.

ТҮРЕ	Numbers in Operation	Numbers in Reserve Fleet	Purchase Cost Range	Average annual servicing cost for 2020	
PANGOLIN	174	2	£17,195.00 - £95,473.00	£1226.08	
TANGI	4	106	£3,450.00 - £40,000.00	£539.42	
PENMAN	124	0	£17,195.00 - £73,280.00	£1,004.63	

Please note the cost to purchase the Pangolin and Penman include armouring, while the cost to purchase the Tangi refers to the base vehicle only, armouring was an additional cost. Many of the vehicles were initially built in house and have had a number of subsequent refurbishments. There is also the impact of inflation over the period.

In relation to service costs, some of the Tangis are not on the road all year, but are serviced prior to deployment.

Request 3

How many Landrovers were purchased by the PSNI in 2019/2020/2021?

Answer

No Landrovers were purchased in 2019/2020/2021.

Request 4

In the past three years how many Landrovers have been damaged and how much has the PSNI paid to cover these costs?

Answer

In the period between 01/11/18 - 31/10/21 there were 229 incidents of criminal damage on Landrovers. The total repair cost to date is £40,163.84.

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 Corporate Information Branch, 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 Corporate Information Branch, 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 remain dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you may make a complaint to the Information Commissioner's Office, under Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act, 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', or use the ICO self-service portal available at www.ico.org.uk/make-a-complaint/officialinformation-concerns-report/official-information-concern/

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