

I write further to your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 of 13 November. I can provide the following information in relation to your request:

1. Does your Constabulary/Force currently use a private company to undertake any of the following services:
 - Public relations
 - Social media communications
 - External stakeholder communications
 - Internal stakeholder communications

The Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner (OPCC) does not use a private company to undertake any of the above services.

2. If no, are you considering letting such a contract in the future and if so, do you have an approximate timetable for engaging the market?

The OPCC is not considering letting such a contract at the present time.

3. Have you used a private company to help you with any other marketing or public information campaigns in the past 2 years?

The OPCC has not used a private company to help with any other marketing or public information campaigns in the past 2 years.

Please note that this response relates to information held by the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for West Yorkshire, not West Yorkshire Police.

I hope you are satisfied with the way your request has been handled, however, I am attaching our appeals procedure should you wish to request an internal review.

Yours

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