



Your reference: N/A

Our reference: FOI\_24\_0249

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Dear

**Gloucestershire Constabulary Freedom of Information request FOI\_24\_0249**

On 24/02/2024 you sent an email constituting a request under the Freedom of Information Act asking the following:

Dear Gloucestershire Constabulary,

- 1) What is your force's policy with regards to the phrase "From the river to the sea"?
- 2) Where your force's policy is that this statement is not always unlawful, under which circumstances could it be unlawful?
- 3) Where your force's policy is that this statement is not always unlawful, under which circumstances could it be lawful?
- 4) If there is no formal policy: please instead share any instructions, emails, or other documentation that may have been shared with officers with regards to what action should be taken when this statement is used by members of the public.

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 s1, I can confirm that Gloucestershire Constabulary does not hold any relevant information.

1. No information held
2. Not applicable
3. Not applicable
4. No information held by Gloucestershire Constabulary, there is nothing to suggest that that any advice with the phrase "From the river to the sea" has been shared on Gloucestershire Constabulary's intranet page. However, the Planning and Resilience Inspector has stated that National Guidance is followed.

If you are not satisfied with this response or any actions taken in dealing with your request, you have the right to ask that we review your case under our internal procedure. Please

note that a request for an internal review must be made within 20 working days of the response to your original request.

If you decide to request that such a review is undertaken and following this process you are still unsatisfied, you then have the right to direct your complaint to the Information Commissioner for consideration.

The Information Commissioner can be contacted via the following means:

Website - <https://ico.org.uk/>

Call their helpline - 0303 123 1113

Email - [casework@ico.org.uk](mailto:casework@ico.org.uk)

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