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Our reference: FOI_25_0638

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Dear

Gloucestershire Constabulary Freedom of Information request FOI_25_0638

On 24/06/2025 you sent an email constituting a request under the Freedom of Information Act asking the following:

Under the Freedom of Information Act, can you please tell me for the following years - 2020, 2021, 2022, 2023, 2024 and 2025 (as of June 23rd 2025):

1. The total number of serving and former police officers and staff from your force who have died by suspected suicide
2. The total number of serving and former police officers and staff from your force who have died by suspected suicide - with the death recorded during or after misconduct proceedings

Can I request that this information is:

- a) Broken down clearly by individual year
- b) Broken down by whether the individuals were either serving or former officers and staff

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 s1, I can confirm that Gloucestershire Constabulary holds no relevant information.

I can confirm that although it may be recorded that a current or former member of staff has passed away, their cause of death is not necessarily recorded.

Of all the Personnel records held, the only way to possibly search for any relevant data is to search for those staff that had a 'reason for leaving' recorded as their death (this clearly will only show any individuals that have passed away whilst still working for the Constabulary). This search has been conducted for the relevant time period, and following a manual review of relevant Personnel records, there is no information recorded to suggest that they died by suicide.

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

Post –

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Yours sincerely,

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