Dear

Thank you for your email of 18 April where you requested information about various costs within the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Humberside.

I can confirm that the information that you have requested is held by this office. Please find below our response to your questions as follows:

A. The total amount spent claimed by your office on newspapers, magazines and periodicals since 16 November 2012

From the election of the Commissioner to 19 April 2013, £61.72 was spent on newspapers.

B. The total amount spent by your office on hospitality since 16 November 2012 including dates and details of any guests attending and venue

Chief Constable Tim Hollis recently retired from Humberside Police and the Commissioner, in recognition of his service, held a retirement lunch for him on 26 March 2013. 40 people attended the event at Pacific Exchange and the total cost was £373.10.

C. The total amount spent by your office on plants, shrubs or flowers since 16 November 2012

A bouquet of flowers was sent to the former Chief Constable's wife on 26 March and these cost £46.98.

D. The total amount spent on furnishing and/or redecorating your office including furniture, carpeting, wall coverings and any other kind of decoration including pictures since 16 November 2012

Since the election of the Commissioner a cupboard has been purchased for the storage of stationery at a cost of £261.49. No other furnishings, carpeting, wall covering or pictures have been purchased nor decoration carried out.

I hope you find this information helpful. If you think that we have not supplied information in accordance with our Publication Scheme or under general rights of access then you have the right to ask for an internal review. Any request for an internal review should be addressed to:

Kevin Sharp Chief Executive Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Humberside Pacific Exchange 40 High Street Hull HU1 1PS

Telephone: 01482 220787

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We would aim to complete an internal review within 15 working days.

If you are not content with the outcome of an internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely

Louise Johnson

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