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Heddlu Police

DYFED-POWYS

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Request:

- 1) How many officers in your force are dedicated to investigating fraud?
- 2) How many officers are in your force in total?
- 3) Can I please have an annual breakdown for each of the last 10 calendar years (up to and including 2021) to show the running total of how many officers on the force were dedicated to fraud. For each of those years, please also detail how many were recruited to fight fraud, and how many left the fraud team. Please also breakdown the reason why those officers left the fraud team – for example, did they retire, step back on medical leave, or were they moved on to a different team?

Response 1:

Please note: The responses to questions 1 and 3 relate only to where the word *Fraud* appears in police officer role titles and does not account for the police officers role titles where the word *Financial* appears.

- There are currently zero (0) officers that have the word fraud appearing in their role title. However, there is one (1) police officer position with the word fraud appearing in the role title that is vacant.

Response 2:

I can confirm that information requested is held by Dyfed Powys Police and is as follows:

- As at 30/06/21 there were a total of 1,205 police officers (excluding those on Career Break).

Response 3:

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Date	Number and Name of Position	Reason for Leaving / Joining
31 st March 2012	2 x D/Constable - Fraud	Positions renamed on 01/06/12 to become D/Constable - Financial Investigation
31 st March 2013	0	
31 st March 2014	0	

31 st March 2015	0	
31 st March 2016	0	
31 st March 2017	0	
31 st March 2018	0	
31 st March 2019	1 x D/Constable - Fraud Investigator	Temporary position to cover maternity leave of police staff member
31 st March 2020	0	
31 st March 2021	0	

It should be noted that owing to the systems adopted by Dyfed-Powys Police in relation to the recording of such matters the information provided may or may not be accurate.

(This is a response under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and disclosed on 17/08/21)