



FOI Reference: 248/2015

Request:

How many investigations by the professional standards department were completed in the calendar years 2012, 2013 and 2014, and 2015 to date?

Clarification:

Please detail matters which have resulted in a conduct investigation by the professional standards department

Police Officers only

Further Clarification:

Sorry to bother you again, but it's come to my attention that the figures for Dyfed Powys police are considerably higher than other forces – I wonder is this because ALL complaints, not just the ones formally investigated by professional standards are included within them? Other forces have given only the ones which have proceeded to a formal investigation, and I'm wary of putting stats that aren't like for like next to each other.

Is it possible to check this, and if my theory is correct, to provide only the number of cases that proceeded to formal investigation?

Response:

I can confirm that Dyfed-Powys Police does hold the information requested. The number of formal investigations (including public complaint and internal conduct cases) completed involving police officers only is as follows:

2012 = 182
2013 = 153
2014 = 161
2015 to 24/04/15 = 55

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.