



Nottinghamshire

**POLICE & CRIME COMMISSIONER**



Our Ref: 667/16

29 February 2016

Dear

**Re: Request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)**

Thank you for your request for information, which was received by the Nottinghamshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner on 8 January 2016.

**INFORMATION REQUESTED**

1. Could you please inform me of the amount of money the office of the Nottinghamshire police and crime commissioner has paid to any organisations or consultancies for media/communications/public relations services?
2. Could I please have the information by financial years 2012/2013, 2013/2014 and 2014/2015 and from April to October 2015
3. Could I also have the name of the organisation or consultancies paid to provide these services and a brief summary of what media/communications/public relations service offered as part of the contract?

**RESPONSE**

Under S 1 (1) (a) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA), I can confirm that the Nottinghamshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner does hold the information you have requested.

Please find below answers to your questions:-

**Questions 1 and 2:**

2012/2013 is £31,800

2013/2014 is £37,800

Retendered

2014/2015 is £55,800

2015/2016 is £32,550 April – October 2015

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**Question 3:**

Better Times provide all aspects of press and media handling, act as the first point of contact for all external media enquiries, review, proof read public relations communications, offer public relations advice, production of content for external promotional material, day to day maintenance and development of the Commissioner's website. They provide a 24/7 service, social media, copywriting, management and oversight of printed material, proactive, reactive statements, stakeholder databases, distribution of material etc.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your interest in the Nottinghamshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner.

Should you have any further enquiries concerning this matter, please write or contact the Freedom of Information Officer on telephone number 0115 8445998 or e-mail [nopcc@nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:nopcc@nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk).

Yours sincerely



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