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Our Ref: FOI2018/04845

Dear Requestor

**REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 Ref No: FOI2018/04845**

I write in connection with your request for information received on 28th August. I note you seek access to the following information:

**Could you please tell me numbers of temporary resource engaged in “Blue Light” skilled roles by the force between 2 October 2017 and 31 March 2018. Could you also tell me the cost of the above named temporary resource. In this case, for the purpose of definition, “Blue Light” skilled roles meaning those traditionally undertaken by warranted officers or investigative civilian staff, including but not limited to those working in the areas of:**

- Investigation
- HOLMES
- Intelligence
- Prosecution Case Work
- Safeguarding
- MAPPA / Public Protection

**If possible I would like the data provided under specific role titles**

I am required by the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (The Act) to handle all requests in a manner that is blind to the identity of the requestor. Any information released in response to a request is regarded as being published and therefore, in the public domain without caveat.

Following your request, searches were conducted at Hertfordshire Constabulary for information relating to “Blue Light” Skilled Roles. This is not a term recognised by our Human Resources System or within any job description. Therefore this information is not captured.

These searches failed to locate any records / documents relevant to your request. Accordingly I have determined that Hertfordshire Constabulary do not hold the information you have requested.

Should you have any further enquiries concerning this matter please do not hesitate to contact me quoting the above reference number.

Yours sincerely

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Hertfordshire Constabulary provides you the right to request an independent review of this response under its review procedure. If you require such a review you must notify us within two months from the date of this letter. After lodging a complaint with Hertfordshire Constabulary if you are still dissatisfied with the decision you may make an application to the Information Commissioner. For information on how to make a complaint please visit their website at <https://ico.org.uk/concerns/> or contact them on 0303 123 1113.

