

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

REQUEST NUMBER: 5 - 2026

REQUEST DETAILS:

Under the FOI Act, as the Pension Supervising Authority for the local police force, please provide me with the following:

1. List of police officers dismissed or who have resigned from the local force following a conviction of a crime since 01/01/2018, that the PCC has been made aware of for the purposes of pension forfeiture consideration.
2. For each officer listed in your answer to Q1, itemise them to show if they were dismissed or resigned, gender, offence(s), year of conviction, pension worth at time of leaving and if their pension has been forfeited (if so, include % forfeited).

RESPONSE

1. The Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner (OPCC) has been made aware of the conviction of ex-officer PC Ryan Althorpe who was convicted of a crime within the requested time period. This has been reported in the media and is in the public domain. The pension forfeiture process is being considered but is at an early stage.

Gross misconduct was found in this case and the officer would have been dismissed had they still been serving.

2. There are reporting restrictions in place for the criminal conviction. The OPCC is currently awaiting representations and no data is held on the value of their pension.