

10th March 2020

Our Ref: FOI/OPCC/20-012

Dear Requestor

REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000

I write in response to your request for information dated 5th March 2020 to the Cambridgeshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner (OPCC) referring to the consultation on 'Strengthening police powers to tackle unauthorised encampments'.

The OPCC has treated your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (the "Act"). Your request sought access to the following information numbered 1 and 2 below. The OPCC's response regarding your request is also given below.

Q1. Did your Police Crime Commissioner submit a response to the Home Office public consultation, launched on the 5th of November 2019 "Strengthening police powers to tackle unauthorised encampments"?

OPCC response:

The OPCC did not respond to the consultation.

Q2. If so, can you please provide us with a full e-copy or hard copy of your response to this consultation?

OPCC response:

Given the response to Q1, no response is applicable to this question.

The Act requires that the OPCC handles 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.

We trust that the information provided above meets your needs. However, if you are unhappy with this response, please see the attached 'satisfied with our service' document, which sets out your rights to appeal.

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

Yours sincerely

Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Cambridgeshire and Peterborough