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Your recent request for information is replicated below, together with our response.

## Number of complaints or grievances initiated against the i6 Department / Digital Transformation Team / Digitally Enabled Policing Programme / Mobile Working Team / COS Team (these are all under the same umbrella and have changed names or split into separate teams).

## Break down the numbers into misconduct or criminal allegations.

## How many were upheld, how many dismissed, how many resulted in either disciplinary or criminal charges.

## All of the above since 1st January 2014 or from the inception of the oldest department/team listed above.

I regret to inform you that I am unable to provide you with the information you have requested, as it would prove too costly to do so within the context of the fee regulations.

As you may be aware the current cost threshold is £600 and I estimate that it would cost well in excess of this amount to process your request.

As such, and in terms of Section 16(4) of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 where Section 12(1) of the Act (Excessive Cost of Compliance) has been applied, this represents a refusal notice for the information sought.

By way of explanation, it is not possible to isolate those departments on our systems. In order to provide an accurate response a manual check of over 500 records would require to be undertaken - this has been assessed as requiring a minimum of 15 mins per record, exceeding the cost limit above.

If you require any further assistance please contact us quoting the reference above.

You can request a review of this response within the next 40 working days by [email](mailto:foi@scotland.police.uk) or by letter (Information Management - FOI, Police Scotland, Clyde Gateway, 2 French Street, Dalmarnock, G40 4EH). Requests must include the reason for your dissatisfaction.

If you remain dissatisfied following our review response, you can appeal to the Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner (OSIC) within 6 months - [online](http://www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal), by [email](mailto:enquiries@itspublicknowledge.info) or by letter (OSIC, Kinburn Castle, Doubledykes Road, St Andrews, KY16 9DS).

Following an OSIC appeal, you can appeal to the Court of Session on a point of law only.

This response will be added to our [Disclosure Log](http://www.scotland.police.uk/access-to-information/freedom-of-information/disclosure-log) in seven days' time.

Every effort has been taken to ensure our response is as accessible as possible. If you require this response to be provided in an alternative format, please let us know.