FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

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FOI Reference number: FOI 34/2026

Date: 26 June 2026

Request:

A medical appeals tribunal was listed for 02/05/19, please provide details of where the MAT was listed to be heard, was it in the RCJ?
If it was not listed in the RCJ Belfast what location was it listed at for hearing?

Please provide the decision of the MAT regarding this case.

Pleas provide details of any outcome re this case if it was settled prior to being heard by the MAT.

Please provide the name of the MAT applicant and case number for the MAT.

Please provide the date the applicant requested a MAT.

Please provide the date a MAT was granted to the applicant.

Please provide the number of medical MAT listings in 2016, 2017 and 2018.

Please provide the number of requests for Medical Appeal Tribunals in 2016, 2017 and 2018.

Please provide details of all locations where MAT's were listed for 2016, 2017 and 2018.

Tribunals are public matters, therefore details that I have requested about the above MAT's cannot be withheld on the grounds of third party information.

Answer:

The Board does not hold information within scope of the above questions. You may wish to contact the Department of Justice (DoJ) who may be able to assist you to obtain the information.

E-mail: foi@justice-ni.gov.uk

Revised Answer –

Following an internal review our response to question 5 has been revised –

- Please provide the number of requests for Medical Appeal Tribunals in 2016, 2017 and 2018.

Answer - Number of MAT requests in 2016 = 0
Number of MAT requests in 2017 = 0
Number of MAT requests in 2018 = 1

If you have queries about this request or the decision, please contact the Board quoting the reference number above. If you are unhappy with the service you have received and wish to make a complaint or request a review you should contact the Board's Chief Executive -

Via Email: foi@nipolicingboard.org.uk

Or in writing at the following address:

Northern Ireland Policing Board
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2 – 4 Cromac Avenue
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Belfast
BT7 2JA

You should contact the Board within 40 working days of this response.

If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner. Generally, the Information Commissioner's Office cannot investigate or make a decision on a case unless you have exhausted the complaints procedure provided by the Board. You should make complaints to the ICO within six weeks of receiving the outcome of an internal review.

The Information Commissioner can be contacted at the following web link –

www.ico.org.uk/foicomplaints

or in writing at:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
SK9 5AF

Telephone: - 0303 1231114
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