



## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

**FOI Reference number:** 07/2017

**Date:** 13 March 2017

### **Request:**

With reference to the FOI request on Northern Ireland Policing Board (NIPB) attendance at the National Attendance Management Forum (NAMF) now the National Wellbeing and Engagement Forum.

It was asked;

- 1) How many members of the NIPB have attended these meetings? Past and present.
- 2) How many members of NIPB, who act as Selected Medical Practitioners have attended these meetings? Past and present.

### **Answer:**

The Northern Ireland Policing Board (NIPB) was established on the 4 November 2001 and this is taken as the start date for the request. Members of the NIPB are taken to be both elected and appointed members of the Board and NIPB staff members. Records are available from 2008.

Records from National Wellbeing and Engagement Forum Meeting Minutes (formerly National Attendance Management Forum (NAMF)) are also available on line at <https://foi.west-midlands.police.uk/other-data-tables/> and cover the period 2014 to 2016.

- 1) No elected or appointed NIPB member has attended the forum.

NIPB staff have attended the forum which meets four times each year. The number of staff who have attended each year is listed in Table 1 below.

Table 1: NIPB Staff Attendance at NAMF (now NWEF)	
2017	0
2016	0
2015	0
2014	3
2013	3
2012	4
2011	3
2010	6
2009	6
2008	6

- 2) No members of NIPB or others who act as Selected Medical Practitioners while contracted by the NIPB in the past or present have attended these meetings.

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