



## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

FOI Reference number: 24/2013

Date: 22 May 2013

Request: Staff Officer Accountants

I would like to know/obtain the following:

1 A copy of the 11/12 and 12/13 pay scales that were in operation within NIPB;

**Answer: Please find attached the 2011/12 and 2012/13 Pay scales for Staff Officer and Analogous Grades.**

2 The number of fully Qualified Accountants employed as Staff Officers (or equivalent grade) within NIPB;

**Answer: NIPB does not employ any qualified accountants at SO grade**

3 The number of these qualified SOs who are employed in a finance function;

**Answer: NIPB does not employ any qualified accountants at SO grade within the Finance function**

4 The number of these qualified SOs, who are employed in a finance function, who are receiving an accountancy allowance, for example, receiving an additional £3k/annum due to being on an SO Accountant pay scale rather than a 'normal' SO pay scale.

**Answer: Not applicable (see response to Question 3 above).**

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 write to the Board's Chief Executive at the following address:

Northern Ireland Policing Board  
Waterside Tower  
31 Clarendon Road  
Clarendon Dock  
Belfast BT1 3BG

Email: [foi@nipolicingboard.org.uk](mailto:foi@nipolicingboard.org.uk)

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. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:-

The Information Commissioner's Office – Northern Ireland  
3rd Floor  
12 Cromac Place  
Gasworks  
Ormeau Road  
Belfast  
BT7 2JB.

Telephone: - 02890 269 380  
Email: - [ni@ico.org.uk](mailto:ni@ico.org.uk)

Please be advised that all Policing Board replies under Freedom of Information will be released into the public domain via our website @ [www.nipolicingboard.org.uk](http://www.nipolicingboard.org.uk).

Personal details in respect of your request have, where applicable, been removed to protect confidentiality.

## Pay scales for the period 1 August 2012 to 31 July 2014

### SO and analogous pay scales

193 Staff Officer, Accommodation Manager/ess, Auditor (H&SS), Careers Service Manager, Deputy Catering Advisor, Information Officer, Investigation Officer, Senior Law Clerk, Security Surveyor, ICT Level 5, Senior Work Study Officer, Inspector Group 4, Medicines Enforcement Officer

079 Higher Psychologist

181 Librarian

184 Staff Officer (CMED)

185 Senior Instructional Officer

186 HPTO (All Disciplines), Clerk of Works 1, Estates Superintendent, Senior Housing Inspector, Fire Officer 1, District Examiner

188 Valuer II

197 Staff Officer London

198 Staff Officer (SSA)

200 Assistant Statistician, Assistant Economist, Agricultural Economist

201 Chief Typing Manager (SSA)

204 Supervising Examiner (ADI/Driving Tests)

206 Chief Typing Manager

207 Senior Meat Inspector

212 Higher Scientific Officer,

213 Higher Mapping and Charting Officer

219 Nurse Grade G

251 Curatorial Grade E, Research Assistant (Historic Monuments), Conservation Grade E

304 Higher Photographic Officer

336 Inspector Group 5  
Coroners Liaison

1st August 2011 pay scale		1st August 2012 pay scale		1st August 2013 pay scale	
Max	30,520	Max	30,825	Max	31,135
6	30,331	5	30,227	5	30,608
5	29,871	4	29,629	4	30,081
4	29,412	3	29,031	3	29,554
3	28,723	2	28,433	2	29,027
2	28,034	1	27,835	1	28,500
1	27,115				