



## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

**FOI Reference number: 41\2014**

**Date: 23 December 2014**

**Request:**

Could you provide me with the following information please.

On what date did the Board receive draft copies of the CJI NI report on PCSP's?

On what date did the Board decide to advertise for new independent members of PCSP"s and DPCSP"s?

Given the CJI NI report on PCSP's and it recommendation for Belfast DPCSP's and i quote Can the board confirm or deny its still proceeding with recruitment of Independent members of Belfast DPCSP's?

"There should be one PCSP for each local council area – including Belfast without the need for DPCSPs."

**Answer:**

I can advise that Board Officials received a draft copy of the CJI report on Policing and Community Safety Partnerships on 17 July 2014. This copy was sent to Board Officials for factual accuracy. Board Members did not receive a draft copy of the report.

At the Joint Committee of DoJ and the Policing Board on 15 October 2014, a decision was taken to advertise for Independent PCSP Members for the new 11 District Councils.

I can confirm that the Board is proceeding with the recruitment of Independent PCSP and DPCSP members.

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