



FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

FOI Reference number: 59/2017

Date: 14 December 2017

Request:

On page 32 of this year's Belfast Pride Festival guide, a full page advert from the Northern Ireland Policing Board. In relation to this, under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, I would like clarification as to the following:

1. Whether the advert was solicited from the Northern Ireland Policing Board by the editor/printers of the guide.
2. The cost of designing the advert
3. The monetary value of the advertisement in the guide.
4. Whether payment was made to the editor/appropriate person in respect of this advert from the Northern Ireland Policing Board, or if no payment was made, was the correct procedure for recording this free advertisement, which amounted to a gift, followed at the time it was received.

Answer:

1. No.
2. No cost. The advert developed for the Belfast Pride Festival Guide 2016 was re-used.
3. Placement of the advert and associated web advertising was quoted at £500.
4. The invoice has not yet been received.

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

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:-

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

Telephone: - 0303 1231114

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