



Reply to: Leah Smith
Telephone: 01953 424455
Date: 26 February 2025

Dear Member of Public,

RE: Freedom of Information Request FOI/OPCCN/249

I am writing in connection with your email dated 29 January 2025, in which you requested the following information:

"Hi there,

We are writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. We are conducting research into the UK public sector's readiness to harness the opportunities presented by artificial intelligence (AI), particularly in light of the government's AI Opportunities Action Plan.

Our research aims to understand the current state of AI adoption, infrastructure, and skills development within UK public sector departments and agencies. We are particularly interested in exploring:

- **AI Strategies and Implementation:** The existence and implementation of AI strategies aligned with the national action plan.
- **Data and Infrastructure:** The availability of robust data and infrastructure to support AI initiatives, including considerations around data residency, sovereignty, and security.
- **Risk Management and Ethics:** Measures in place to mitigate risks associated with AI, including bias, data protection, and transparency.
- **Skills and Training:** Efforts to upskill the public sector workforce to effectively utilise AI technologies.

We are producing educational documentary material aimed at informing and supporting the UK public sector in its AI journey. As part of our qualitative research, we are keen to gather diverse perspectives and insights. If anyone within your department would be interested in discussing these topics further, we would be delighted to arrange a conversation.

Please select the options in the following survey that most closely align with your organisation. Our preference is responses via the following link for data analysis reasons.

FOI REQUEST LINK:

<https://airtable.com/appOPHVROSa5M7fAx/pag2sl1lYpgLUCMr4/form>

However, we have also attached the raw questions in word document format.

We would appreciate it if you could provide the requested information by 26/02/2025.

If you need any clarification on the questions, please let us know.

Thank you for your time and cooperation."

I have reviewed our records and can advise the following:

I have checked our records, and no information is held within the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Norfolk. However, Norfolk Constabulary may be able to provide you information on this request. This can be requested via Freedom@Norfolk.police.uk

Yours sincerely

L. Smith

Leah Smith

Complaints and Compliance Manager and FOI Decision Maker

Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Norfolk

Internal Review

If you think we have not supplied information in accordance with Section 1 (the General Right of Access) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, or you are dissatisfied with the way in which your request has been handled, then you should write within 40 days of the date of the response to:

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Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Norfolk
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Email: opccn@norfolk.police.uk

If you are dissatisfied in any way with our response or the way we have handled your request, you can contact us by phone, email or in writing. We may, in the first instance, try and resolve your complaint informally. However, at any stage you can request, or we may decide to treat your complaint formally under our internal review process.

An internal review is conducted by the Chief Executive who will review the request and response, taking account of your complaint(s), and will respond in writing as soon as possible. The Information Commissioner's Office recommends that a response should be made in 20 working days. If we are unable to respond in this timeframe, we will inform you and provide a date by which you should expect to receive our response.

If, after the internal review, you remain dissatisfied then you can complain to the Information Commissioner's Office, the government regulator for the Freedom of Information Act. Details of how to contact the Information Commissioner's Office can be found at www.ico.org.uk