

Freedom of Information Act request

Your e-mail requesting information using Freedom of Information Act (FOI) 2000 legislation, has been safely received in this office.

On 11 December 2018 you wrote:

“Please can you provide the following FOI relating to funding I have heard was provided to ' Soho Rd businesses improvement district' [Soho Rd BID]

In 2018, which believe was over £3000, please can you provide the following FOI request -

1- How much exactly was provided in funding to this ' Soho Rd BID'?

2- Was it in 2018? if yes what month?

3- Was this funding given to this BID Public money? if know where did this funding come from?

4- What was this funding spent/ used on by this ' Soho Rd BID'?

If it was to but items etc., what items was brought

5- Has this funding now been spent by this BID?

6- Can West Midlands Police provide proof such as receipts showing where this funding given to Soho Rd BID was spent on?”

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I note that you have already asked this of West Midlands Police who have confirmed that they have not funded Soho Road BID.

Having checked against the various funding streams held by the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner, I can confirm that nothing has been paid to Soho Road BID from here either.

Meanwhile, your attention is drawn to the fact that, in accordance with the Police and Crime Commissioner's review procedure, you do have a right to request an internal review. Details of the procedure are attached to this letter. Any appeal should be submitted within 40 working days of the date of this letter.

Yours sincerely

Jonathan Jardine

Chief Executive