REQUEST

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RESPONSE

Thank you for your Freedom of Information request of 21 February to the Mayor's Office for Policing And Crime (MOPAC) and I apologise for the delay in replying to you. I confirm that your request has been handled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and that MOPAC does hold information related to your request. Please see answers below:

1. What is the staffing budget for the Mayor's Office for Policing and Crime for the 2020/21 and 2021/22 financial years?

The Mayor's Office for Policing And Crime (MOPAC) staffing budget for the 2020/21 financial year is £14.2 million. The current planned budget for 2021/22 financial year is £13.6 million, but is subject to change. It will be dependent on recruitment, which is carried out in line with our recruitment and resourcing principles according to natural turnover, vacancies and business need.

2. How many staff did MOPAC employ in the 2020/21 year and how many does it expect to employ in the 2021/22 years?

MOPAC had 148 employees as of 31 March 2021. As above, recruitment is carried out in line with our recruitment and resourcing principles according to natural turnover, vacancies and business need. Therefore, it cannot be confirmed what the expected number of staff employed will be for the year ahead.

If you are unhappy with the response to your Freedom of Information requests, please see the MOPAC website on what the next steps are at:

https://www.london.gov.uk/what-we-do/mayors-office-policing-and-crime-mopac/governance-and-decision-making/freedom-information