



FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

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FOI Reference number: FOI 58/2023

Date: 15 December 2023

Request:

I refer to the transcript of the NI Affair Committee meeting held on 19th September 2023. The transcript of which can be found here:

https://committees.parliament.uk/oralevidence/13656/html/

In regards to the meeting, particularly Q267-Q276, please can you:

1. Answer why the meeting minutes on 4th September have not yet been published?

Answer - Please see below link to minutes of 4 September 2023 Board meeting which have now been published on the Board's website.

2. When will the meeting minutes be published?

Answer - Please see response to question 1 and the link below.

3. Have the minutes of the meeting been discussed in any NIPB meeting since?

Answer - A progress update on these minutes was provided by the Board Chair to Board Members at the 5 October 2023 Board meeting. The minutes were considered and agreed for publication at the Board meeting on 7 December 2023.

4. Publish the full meeting minutes on 4th September where the resignation of the Chief Constable was discussed.

Answer - Please see the below link.

<u>Policing Board Minutes 4 September 2023 | Northern Ireland Policing Board (nipolicingboard.org.uk)</u>

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