

11<sup>th</sup> December 2013

I write following your FOI request dated 17.11.13 in which you request;

*Stockton on Tees are planning to open 4 High End Luxury (Houses in excess of £550k each) Children's Homes across the Borough in Rural Village Locations as part of a Limited Liability Partnership with a commercial profit making company using tax payers money, would you please provide the following:-*

*1 Details of any correspondence you have had with Stockton on Tees Borough Council on the potential impact on police resources, including manpower and budgetary implications for the opening of 4 residential Children's Homes across the Borough in rural village locations.*

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*2 Has Stockton on Tees Borough Council given any indication of how much of the 50-50 profit share they will be making with their LLP partners Spark of Genius will be donated or contributed to additional policing for such homes.*

This request has been handled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Regarding your request I can now inform you that I have completed my enquiries and that my reply on behalf of the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Cleveland is as follows.

I can confirm that the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Cleveland does not hold this information.

I can confirm that the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Cleveland has a complaints procedure.

If you are unhappy with the way your request for information has been handled, you can request a review by writing to:

Chief of Staff, Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Cleveland, Police Headquarters  
Ladgate Lane, Middlesbrough, TS8 9EH

or you can follow the complaints procedure found on our website at:

[www.cleveland.pcc.police.uk](http://www.cleveland.pcc.police.uk)

If you remain dissatisfied with the handling of your request or complaint, you have a right to appeal to the Information Commissioner at:

The Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Telephone: 08456 30 60 60 or 01625 54 57 45 Website: [www.ico.gov.uk](http://www.ico.gov.uk)

There is no charge for making an appeal.

John Bage  
Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner for Cleveland