Ref 5593/21

9 September 2021

Dear

**Re: Request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)**

Thank you for your request for information, which was received by the Nottinghamshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner on 11 August 2021.

**INFORMATION REQUESTED**

1. How much did Switch Up CIC receive in grants from PCC Community Safety and VRU Funds in the last five years?
2. In year 2018/2019 Switch Up received £15,000 grant from CSF however this grant is not listed in the report for that year.
3. Does it mean that Switch Up CIC had to pay £15,000 back and if yes, what was the reason for grant being withdrawn?

**RESPONSE**

Under S 1 (1) (a) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA), I can confirm that the Nottinghamshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner does hold the information you have requested.

Please find below answers to your questions:-

Over the last 5 years Switch Up CIC have received the following grants via the PCC Community Safety and VRU Fund:

2021/22 £18,750

2020/21 £12,500

2019/20 An initial grant of £6,750 was awarded for the first six months of the financial year. A subsequent grant of £6,750 was then awarded for the final six months of the financial year

2018/19 £0

2017/18 £15,000

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In 2018/19 Switch Up applied to the Community Safety Fund however were not awarded any funding specifically via this fund. In this year all applications that were submitted which related to knife crime were removed and looked at separately and a decision was taken to provide some additional knife crime funding via a separate fund of which Switch up received £15,000.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your interest in the Nottinghamshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner.

Should you have any further enquiries concerning this matter, please write or contact the Freedom of Information Officer on telephone number 0115 8445998 or e-mail [carolinehenrypcc@nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:carolinehenrypcc@nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk)

Yours sincerely



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