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Dear [REDACTED]

I am writing in response to your request for information regarding the below received on 16 November 2015. Your request has been handled under Section 1(1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. In accordance with Section 1(1) (a) of the Act I hereby confirm that the CNC/CNPA does hold information of the type specified.

1) How many claims for compensation have been made to your police force since 1 January 2011?

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2) How much was paid out for each claim.

Please see attached table

3) What claims have not yet been settled?

Please see attached table

4) The date each claim was made.

Please see attached table

5) The reason each claim was made (i.e. what the claimant sought compensation for).

Please see attached table

6) Whether or not the claimant was one of your employees.

All claims were from CNC employees

The Civil Nuclear Constabulary is a specialist armed police service dedicated to the civil nuclear industry, with Operational Policing Units based at 11 civil nuclear sites in England, Scotland and Wales and over 1400 police officers and staff. The Constabulary headquarters is at Culham in Oxfordshire. The civil nuclear industry forms part of the UK's critical national infrastructure and the role of the Constabulary contribute to the overall framework of national security.

The purpose of the Constabulary is to protect licensed civil nuclear sites and to safeguard nuclear material in transit. The Constabulary works in partnership with the appropriate Home Office Police Force or Police Scotland at each site. Policing services required at each site are agreed with nuclear operators in accordance with the Nuclear Industries Security Regulations 2003 and ratified by the UK regulator, the Office for Nuclear Regulation (ONR). Armed policing services are required at most civil nuclear sites in the United Kingdom. The majority of officers in the Constabulary are Authorised Firearms Officers.

The Constabulary is recognised by the National Police Chiefs' Council (NPCC) and the Association of Chief Police Officers in Scotland (ACPOS). Through the National Coordinated Policing Protocol, the Constabulary has established memorandums of understanding with the local police forces at all 11 Operational Policing Units. Mutual support and assistance enable the Constabulary to maintain focus on its core role.

We take our responsibilities under the Freedom of Information Act seriously but, if you feel your request has not been properly handled or you are otherwise dissatisfied with the outcome of your request, you have the right to complain. We will investigate the matter and endeavour to reply within 3 – 6 weeks. You should write in the first instance to:

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If you are still dissatisfied following our internal review, you have the right, under section 50 of the Act, to complain directly to the Information Commissioner. Before considering your complaint, the Information Commissioner would normally expect you to have exhausted the complaints procedures provided by the CNPA.

The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

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Yours sincerely

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Log of CNC / CNPA Civil Claims

[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Date of claim	[REDACTED]	Incident / injuries	Claim Reserve / Costs to date	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Current position
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	21 October 2015	[REDACTED]	Slipped on a wet floor in a porta cabin caused cartilage and tendon damage to right knee and a strain to hamstring		[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	On going
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	23 September 2015	[REDACTED]	The Claimant carried out a Multi Stage Fitness test at approximately 17:15 in December 2013. On finishing the test he felt immediate pain and discomfort in his lower back. Subsequently this pain became worse over time with the Claimant losing sensation in his legs, mainly on the right hand side. The Defendant's policy states the Multi Stage Fitness test should not be carried out after 16:00. On the day of the accident, prior to carrying out		[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	On going

[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Date of claim	[REDACTED]	Incident / injuries	Claim Reserve / Costs to date	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Current position
				<p>the test, the Claimant had been working delivering training at Otterburn Camp.</p> <p>Injury to lower back and loss of sensation in legs (mainly right side) and right foot</p>				
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	27 July 2015	[REDACTED]	<p>Claimant was carrying a cup of coffee up the stairs in [REDACTED] when she slipped on a loose carpet tile causing her to fall to her knees and land on the metal strip of the stairs. Claimant suffered deep laceration to the left knee, torn tendons in the left knee and an 8 inch permanent scar on left knee</p> <p>4 nights hospital stay were also required</p>		[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	ongoing
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	23 July 2015	[REDACTED]	Claiming hearing		[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	ongoing

[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Date of claim	[REDACTED]	Incident / injuries	Claim Reserve / Costs to date	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Current position
	[REDACTED]			loss due to not being provided with appropriate hearing protection		[REDACTED]		
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	30 June 2015	[REDACTED]	<p>Claimant was taking part in PST Training. Claimant was performing a 3 step tackle playing the role of the subject. He was in a seated position and then proceeded to tackle a colleague around the waist at slow speed when suddenly, the colleague used excessive force and control causing the claimant to fall heavily and out of control going over on his ankle.</p> <p>This resulted in 45 days off work</p>		[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	ongoing
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	18 June	[REDACTED]	Claimant slipped on a wet floor in a		[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	

[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Date of claim	[REDACTED]	Incident / injuries	Claim Reserve / Costs to date	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Current position
		2015		kitchen and suffered an impact injury to the head, low back pain and progressive knee discomfort		[REDACTED]		Ongoing
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	28 May 2015	[REDACTED]	Participating in PST when a colleague tripped on one of the safety mats and fell on top of the claimant causing injury to the median nerve in the right wrist and damage to several discs in the spine [a double crush injury]		[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Ongoing
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	19 May 2015	[REDACTED]	The Claimant was removing his G63 carbine from the Arms box when the piston arm suddenly gave way slamming the lid down onto the claimant's wrist. Claimant sustained a crush injury to the wrist requiring physiotherapy. Following the accident it has become apparent		[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Ongoing

[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Date of claim	[REDACTED]	Incident / injuries	Claim Reserve / Costs to date	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Current position
				that the arms box should have had 2 piston arms but one was missing and the remaining piston arm had degraded over time causing the claimant's injury				
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	18 May 2015	[REDACTED]	<p>Training with a colleague when they tried a new technique with tri fold handcuffs. Colleague was not holding the cuffs correctly which resulted in the claimant being lifted onto his toes then falling onto his knees</p> <p>Tear to tendons in right and left rotator cuff. Neuro muscular injury to Neck</p>		[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Ongoing
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	12 May 2015	[REDACTED]	Was grappling with a colleague as part of a training exercise and injured his lower back		[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Ongoing
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	17 March	[REDACTED]	Taking part in PST		[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Ongoing

[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Date of claim	[REDACTED]	Incident / injuries	Claim Reserve / Costs to date	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Current position
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	;2015	[REDACTED]	Training at Edward Brooks Barracks. Paired with a colleague to complete a startle flinch system when his colleague stuck him in the face with both hands using excessive force causing the claimants front teeth to smash completely out of his mouth		[REDACTED]		
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	7 January 2015	[REDACTED]	Various issues including ill fitting body armour, sexual harassment, work related stress		[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Ongoing.
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	8 December 2014	[REDACTED]	Slipped on black ice while exiting a building down steps. Injured his right knee and back as a result of the accident. Claimant alleges that the area had not been gritted		[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Ongoing
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	28 November 2014	[REDACTED]	Was partaking in a training exercise when he lost his	No payments to be made	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Closed

[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Date of claim	[REDACTED]	Incident / injuries	Claim Reserve / Costs to date	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Current position
				<p>footing on wet grass and fell forward. When he fell forward, the Bi Pod on the G36 he was carrying dug into the ground and forcing the weapons sighting system to hit his shooting glasses forcing them up and causing a laceration to his face. Injury required stitches and tape.</p>		[REDACTED]		
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	10 October 2014	[REDACTED]	<p>Was walking back to his car when he tripped on raised and protruding stone blocks set within the concrete curb. Claimant fell onto concrete blocks near the fire escape and broke ribs on the left side of chest</p>		[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Ongoing
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	21 July 2014	[REDACTED]	<p>Claimant was exiting a turnstile when it bounced back and struck her on the right elbow causing injury /</p>	No payments to be made	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Closed

[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Date of claim	[REDACTED]	Incident / injuries	Claim Reserve / Costs to date	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Current position
				bruising				
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	30 June 2014	[REDACTED]	Issued with incorrect PPE glove when training caused an injury to left hand index finger	£4025.30 paid 8/6/15	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Closed
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	13 June 2014	[REDACTED]	Was a passenger in a CNC vehicle which had a faulty wheel bearing and slid off the road into a grass verge. No other vehicle involved in the accident. Claimant experienced sharp pain to the right shoulder from the impact of the accident.	23/10/15 paid £7015.47	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Closed
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	9 June 2014	[REDACTED]	He tripped on a pile of metal poles which were left on a grass verge while undertaking a site exercise at Heysham. This resulted in the claimant rupturing his left Achilles tendon.	No payments to be made	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Closed

[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Date of claim	[REDACTED]	Incident / injuries	Claim Reserve / Costs to date	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Current position
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	2 June 2014	[REDACTED]	Tripped over some boots while entering the separation area of Sellafield B370 wearing full PPE. Resulted in immediate sharp pain to his upper back and right shoulder.	No payments to be made	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Closed
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	16 May 2014	[REDACTED]	The claimant put her left heel partly in a drainage gully which is near the entrance to the building where the search training was taking place. This caused the ankle to give way.		[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	On going
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	13 May 2014	[REDACTED]	Pain and discomfort experienced from wearing a holster which had an elasticated strap and Velcro to hold it in place around his leg.		[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Ogoing
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	25 February 2014	[REDACTED]	Taking part in a re-qual shoot. Slipped on a used target which was on the	Reserve set at £13500 – CNC only liable to	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	On going

████████	██████	Date of claim	████	Incident / injuries	Claim Reserve / Costs to date	██████	████████	Current position
				floor. He sustained lacerations and bruising to his left thumb and lower back pain	£10000 insurance excess			
██████████	██████████	24 February 2014	██████████	Came into contact with a statue of a dog situated outside the kennels at Dounreay and sustained a laceration to the shin which required 15 stitches	Reserve set at £8627	██████████	██████████	Ongoing.
██████████	██████████	19 November 2013	██████████	Claimant was walking from the mess room to the car park to get to her vehicle when she tripped on a loose paving stone and in trying to brace herself she jolted her knee knocking it out to the left resulting in a right knee injury	Reserve set at £4380		██████████	On going
██████████	██████████	9 October 2013	██████████	Claimant was participating in PST training and was paired with a colleague for practicing defensive	£7588.41 paid 21/10/14		██████████	Closed

[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Date of claim	[REDACTED]	Incident / injuries	Claim Reserve / Costs to date	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Current position
				knife attacks. He was playing the role of assailant. During the exercise, the claimant bent down as if to go down to the floor when his colleague suddenly struck him in the chest with his knee				
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	3 October 2013	[REDACTED]	Engaged in training with a colleague. She grabbed his wrist as part of the exercise which caused her to be pulled backwards and forwards. She was pulled off balance and fell to the ground causing an injury to her left knee		[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	On going
[REDACTED]		September 2013		claimant suffered a knee injury pushing a vehicle.	£5877.08 paid 4/11/14			
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	19 September 2013	[REDACTED]	Claimant was completing quarterly re-shoot. An empty case came through the top of her safety glasses and became stuck	£3715.52 paid 9/12/14			Closed

[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Date of claim	[REDACTED]	Incident / injuries	Claim Reserve / Costs to date	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Current position
				<p>between the glasses and her left cheek, just below her eye. The next shot fired hit her forehead and the following one flew behind her glasses but stuck between the glasses and her right cheek, again just below the eye.</p> <p>A further shoot saw other cases going over her head and one more landing behind her safety glasses.</p> <p>Claimant sustained burns to face and blisters and scars</p>				
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	1 August 2013	[REDACTED]	<p>Claimant was taking part in PST training and was practicing a "Spear" manoeuvre when the claimant lost balance and fell and landed outside of the matted area. Claimant has suffered injury to his backside and back</p>	£10000 paid 27/8/14			Closed

[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Date of claim	[REDACTED]	Incident / injuries	Claim Reserve / Costs to date	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Current position
				area				
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	10 July 2013		Claimant tripped over a luminous bollard	No payments to be made			Closed
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	13 June 2013	[REDACTED]	The claimant was making his way to training when he tripped on a wooden panel which had been left on the gravel causing him to slip and fall landing on his right knee and outstretched hands. He sustained soft tissue injuries to his right hand and knee.	£10000 paid 31/8/14			Closed
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	4 June 2013	[REDACTED]	Claimant was asked to carry thermos flasks containing hot water to a vehicle. He attempted to place the flasks in the vehicle via a sliding door. He then noticed water leaking from the spout of the flask onto the back of his right hand causing	£8688.37 paid 16/9/14		[REDACTED]	Closed

[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Date of claim	[REDACTED]	Incident / injuries	Claim Reserve / Costs to date	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Current position
				him to sustain a serious burn injury				
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	17 April 2013	[REDACTED]	<p>Claimant was engaged in a qualification shoot on the G36 carbine. He was wearing full PPE and going from standing to kneeling engaging the target on a six second exposure. The claimant complained of feeling a sharp pain in his back which he alleges was caused by his right foot slipping on pebbles and mud causing him to slip to the right.</p> <p>He attended Preston Hospital</p>				Ongoing
[REDACTED]		March 2013		Claimant drove into a pothole while on duty	No payments made			Closed
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	13 March 2013	[REDACTED]	Claimant stumbled on a kerb while loading his kit bag into a vehicle and landed heavily on	No payments made			Closed

[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Date of claim	[REDACTED]	Incident / injuries	Claim Reserve / Costs to date	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Current position
				his left ankle. He suffered immediate pain but managed to continue with his shift				
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	10 March 2013	[REDACTED]	Fell twice during a warm up exercise ahead of training. An injury to the spine was sustained for which he is receiving physio		[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Ongoing
[REDACTED]		February 2013		claimant was working in the armoury and dropped a mini-gun	£9659.91 Paid 31/10/14			
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	24 January 2013	[REDACTED]	Claimant was undertaking single system search training when a fellow trainee fired a MMR at the Claimant striking him on the right side of his face suffering a puncture wound near his lips resulting in permanent scarring.	£10000 paid 2/7/15	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Closed
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	18 October 2012	[REDACTED]	Historical claim for hearing loss	£3619.10 paid 17/7/15			Closed

[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Date of claim	[REDACTED]	Incident / injuries	Claim Reserve / Costs to date	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Current position
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	21 August 2012		a syringe stabbed through the claimant's thumb whilst they were searching through a drawer	£7964.75 paid 13/8/13			
[REDACTED]		August 2012		claimant alleges smoke inhalation from engine department of a police vehicle.	No payments to be made			Withdrawn
[REDACTED]		July 2012		barriers at the front gate stopped whilst claimant was passing through it, causing a front tooth to become dislodged	No payments to be made			Withdrawn
[REDACTED]		July 2012		claimant caught his foot on a mantle during firearms training.	No payments to be made			Withdrawn
[REDACTED]		July 2012		claimant stubbed his right foot on a metal plate covering a hole in a walkway	No payments to be made			Withdrawn
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	20 June 2012	[REDACTED]	upon exiting the police station building the claimant caught the	£10000 paid 1/11/13			Closed

[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Date of claim	[REDACTED]	Incident / injuries	Claim Reserve / Costs to date	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Current position
				edge of the step and fell onto the tarmac				
[REDACTED]		May 2012		Claimant was leaving the armoury, leg slipped into an inspection cover	No payments to be made			Closed
[REDACTED]		May 2012		claimant jarred his leg during firearms training, climbing over a low wall	No payments to be made			Closed
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	17 April 2012	[REDACTED]	Was sitting in a stationery CNC car when smoke started emitting from the battery of the car. He disconnected the battery. Felt unwell later that day and the next day was treated by the site OH dept where he was referred to hospital and treated for smoke inhalation	£10000 paid 30/9/15	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Closed
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	16 March 2012	[REDACTED]	Hearing damage from a colleague negligently discharging his weapon while arming up at the	£532.88 paid 27/2/15			Closed

[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Date of claim	[REDACTED]	Incident / injuries	Claim Reserve / Costs to date	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Current position
				armoury				
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	2 February 2012	[REDACTED]	Taking part in training. Suffered a severe burn to his neck from the ejection of gun casing from his partner's weapon	£10000 paid 3/9/13			Closed
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	25 October 2011	[REDACTED]	Taking part in training when her training partner struck her which caused contusion of the right lung and damage to the chest wall	£10000 paid 18/2/14			Closed
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	4 August 2011	[REDACTED]	Claimant sustained severe burn to the back of his neck from hot casing discharged from a firearm during training	£10000 paid 31/7/15	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Closed
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	8 August 2011	[REDACTED]	SLIPPED ON WET STEP IN RAIN JARRING HER SPINE	£4810.19 paid 18/6/13			Closed
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	1 June 2011	[REDACTED]	TRAINING GRENADE -	£10000 paid 18/2/14			Closed

[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Date of claim	[REDACTED]	Incident / injuries	Claim Reserve / Costs to date	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Current position
				INJURY TO HAND				
[REDACTED]		23 June 2011	[REDACTED]	INJURY TO NECK AND BACK WHILST LIFING A SAFE.	£10000 paid on 31/1/14			Closed
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	23 June 2011	[REDACTED]	BROKEN FINGER DURING TRAINING	£10000			Closed
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	23 June 2011	[REDACTED]	Claimant was taking part in a training shoot providing suppressive fire for his colleague. His colleagues empty hot cases landed on his neck and became trapped between the claimant's skin and body armour causing severe burns around his neck	£10000 paid 28/6/13			Closed
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	1 June 2011	[REDACTED]	INJURY TO RIGHT ANKLE. TRIPPED OVER	£10000 paid on 12/7/13			Closed
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	1 April 2011	[REDACTED]	Claimant was taking part in training. His training partner aggressively stamped down hard	£100000 paid 27/9/13			Closed

[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Date of claim	[REDACTED]	Incident / injuries	Claim Reserve / Costs to date	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Current position
				on the claimant's foot causing severe pain				
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	14 March 2011	[REDACTED]	Claimant was a dog handler at [REDACTED] and was undertaking a fence patrol when he slipped on untreated ground and fell over sustaining an injury to his back	£10000 paid on 14/7/15	[REDACTED]		Closed
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	24 January 2011	[REDACTED]	CLAIMANT HIT HER HEAD ON A SIDE CURTAIN	£10000 paid 18/6/13			Closed
[REDACTED]		NOT KNOWN. UNLIKELY TO BE PRE 1/1/11 BUT INCLUDED FOR CLARITY			£5885.22 paid 28/6/13			Closed