

This data has been collated on the basis of payment dates which have no bearing on the actual date of the incident.

The payments recorded fall within the period specified (1st April 2016 – 31st March 2017). It cannot be guaranteed that individual claims have not had further payments made outside these dates.

There are a total of 14 claims relating to employees of the force whereby payment of damages have been made and in some cases, costs relating to the individual claims have also been paid.

- 1. For the last financial year 2016/2017 how much money was paid to officers and civilian staff of your force as compensation for personal injuries after they brought or threatened legal action against your force? (If possible please EXCLUDE the legal fees that may have been paid in these cases so that the answer is just the compensation received by the injured parties).**

Answer: £61,131.30

- 2. How many individual claims did this represent?**

Answer: 14

- 3. For all payments in excess of £5,000 that were paid please state**

- (i) the amount of compensation
- (ii) the cost to the force of the legal fees associated with the case,
- (iii) if the employee was an officer, a PCSO or a member of civilian staff and
- (iv) a one sentence description of the nature of the claim.

Note this question relates to compensation claims paid in 2016/2017 irrespective of when the actual injury incident took place, or when the claim was lodged.

Answer:

<i>Payments in excess of £5,000.00</i>				
<i>Damages</i>	<i>Legal Fees</i>	<i>Total Costs</i>	<i>Status</i>	<i>Brief Description</i>
£5,000.00	£2,775.00	£7,775.00	PC	Trip
£6,000.00	£3,070.00	£9,070.00	PC	Manual Handling
£6,000.00	£3,738.00	£9,738.00	PC	Trip
£8,573.30	£5,026.00	£13,599.30	Staff	Manual Handling
£7,274.00	£6,340.00	£13,614.00	PC	Defective Equipment
£12,127.00	£4,185.00	£16,312.00	PC	Fleas