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## Freedom of Information Act 2000 Request

### *Questions relating to CPS Staff*

#### Request & Response

*I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information from Crown Prosecution Service:*

- 1. Does Crown Prosecution Service allow staff to use their own devices to access work email? Please answer Yes or No.***

The Crown Prosecution Service (CPS) does not allow staff to use their own devices to access work email.

- 2. Does Crown Prosecution Service allow staff to use their own devices for any other work-related activities? Please answer Yes or No.***

The default position is that the CPS does not allow colleagues to use their own devices for work-related activities. All colleagues are provided with a laptop device, and where appropriate a mobile phone. There is a policy in exceptional cases.

- 3. If you answered yes to question 2 please provide a list of the types of systems that staff can access from personally owned devices?***

The core CPS systems are only accessible from CPS devices. A limited number of services are available on external devices, such as the Prosecution College which includes training materials for external advocates

- 4. Does Crown Prosecution Service have a policy that covers BYOD or the use of personal devices at work? Please answer Yes or No.***

- 5. If you answered yes to question 4 please could you provide a copy of your policy that covers BYOD or personal device usage at work?***



The CPS does not hold any information in scope, in relation to questions four and five.

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