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Dear Sir,

**Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)  
Request ID: REQ04732**

Thank you for your request for information relating to Cost of Private Security Contractors

Your request:

I would like to know how much this local authority has spent on private security contractors for the calendar years: 2014/15, 2015/16, 2016/17, 2017/18.  
'Private security contractors' can include but is not limited to: security guards, private investigators, and cyber security.

For each calendar year please break this down and include the following details:

- a) Name of contractor
- b) Value of contract
- c) Services rendered

We can confirm that the only costs incurred that we can identify easily relate to the following:-

<b>Security - Manned Guarding</b>				
	<b>2014/15</b>	<b>2015/16</b>	<b>2016/17</b>	<b>2017/18</b>
EMK Events Ltd				3,200
IEC Experience Ltd		342		
Mitie Security Ltd	54,320	41,181		
NDC Business Network Trust Ltd	1,689	683	2,142	3,000
Premier Security Services	5,408			

Profile Security Services Ltd	140,447	176,313	202,752	288,396
Radford Primary Academy			774	
Red Watch Security Ltd				3,332
Show & Event Security	25,056			
Trident Group Security Services				3,848
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>226,920</b>	<b>218,519</b>	<b>205,668</b>	<b>301,776</b>

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Yours faithfully

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