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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)

Request ID: FOI421288470

Thank you for your request for information relating to Protect Duty.

You have requested the following information:

Please can you provide the following:

1. A bullet point list of all the measures the council has taken in preparation for the introduction of the 'Protect Duty' which is expected to come into effect in 2022

- Carried out security/ terrorism risk assessments through a consultancy on main council building
- Briefing with West Midlands Police on terror risk profile regionally and nationally for senior officers and those responsible for events
- All events are reviewed by the Safety Advisory Group (SAG) which advises on security measures including risk profiles, attended by the police service amongst other organisations

2. The full amount (in £) the council has spent to date implementing the aforementioned measures as well as the amount of money (in £) assigned to make the above changes ahead of the introduction of 'Protect Duty'

£20,000 in corporate property.

3. If you have not yet assigned a budget or implemented measures ahead of 'Protect Duty' coming into effect, do you expect to do so in the next 6 months? (please answer either Yes, No or N/A)

No budget has been made available as yet, as we need to quantify the risk.

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Yours faithfully

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