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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) Request ID: FOI547564037

Thank you for your request for information relating to Hikvision and Duhua cameras.

You have requested the following information:

- 1. How many Hikvision cameras are owned and used by the Council?
- 2. How many Dahua cameras are owned and used by the Council?
- 3. How many Hikvision products have been purchased or installed since 2021?
- 4. The amount of money that are spent on CCTV cameras and related equipment that are manufactured by Hikvision in the past 2 years?
- 5. Documentation of any assessments made regarding the procurement of Hikvision and Dahua products

In response to all questions, Coventry City Council confirms that neither Hikvision, nor Duhua cameras are used. Any existing cameras were replaced from the Public Surveillance system and no purchases have been made in the last two years.

Please note that we do not hold information for schools as they would hold this information. We are therefore advising you as per Section 1(1) of the Act.

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Yours faithfully

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