

6 January 2023

Dear

ATISN 16909

Thank you for your request which I received on 28 November 2022. You asked for the following information:

1. Do any buildings or property owned or leased by the Welsh Government (Welsh Government Estate) utilise cameras manufactured by Hikvision or Dahua?
2. If so, does the Welsh Government have any plans to remove the technology?
3. Does the Welsh Government have any plans to provide councils and agencies with support to uninstall Hikvision cameras that are currently installed across Wales?

I can confirm the referenced equipment is used by Welsh Government and there are currently no plans to remove the technology prior to the end of current arrangements. Regarding part 3 of your request, I can confirm there are no plans for Welsh Government to engage further on this matter.

If you are dissatisfied with the Welsh Government's handling of your request, you can ask for an internal review within 40 working days of the date of this response. Requests for an internal review should be addressed to the Welsh Government's Freedom of Information Officer at:

Information Rights Unit
Welsh Government
Cathays Park
Cardiff
CF10 3NQ

or e-mail: Freedom.ofinformation@gov.wales

Please remember to quote the ATISN reference number above.

You also have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

Telephone: 0303 123 1113

Website: www.ico.org.uk

However, please note that the Commissioner will not normally investigate a complaint until it has been through our own internal review process.

Yours sincerely