

**WRITTEN QUESTION TO THE MINISTER FOR HOME AFFAIRS  
BY DEPUTY T.M. PITMAN OF ST. HELIER  
ANSWER TO BE TABLED ON TUESDAY 2nd JULY 2013**

**Question**

Has the Minister now handed over all details to officers undertaking 'Operation Elvedon' relating to the information he advised the Assembly had been leaked to a UK journalist during a live child abuse investigation by Mr. Gradwell?

**Answer**

The States of Jersey Police last corresponded with the UK Metropolitan Police in respect of both Operation Elvedon (illegal payments) and Operation Weeting (phone hacking) during the autumn of 2011. At that time, the States of Jersey Police were advised that neither enquiry had uncovered any evidence to suggest any illegal payments or phone hacking by News International in respect of the Historical Abuse Investigation.

There has been no further correspondence since that time.

When I was last asked a question in relation to Mr Gradwell, on 14 May 2013, I indicated that I would discuss this with the Police Chief and I have done this.