

# PNC and LEDS Code of Practice – have your say

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Public consultation on new legislation for the Police National Computer and Law Enforcement Data Service

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We are inviting feedback on a new Code of Practice for the Police National Computer (PNC) system and its eventual replacement, the Law Enforcement Data Service (LEDS), through a public consultation. The consultation is now open and closes on Thursday 21 April.

The PNC and LEDS systems form critical parts of national infrastructure. They are used every day by police officers and staff at all levels to prevent and detect crime and keep people safe.?

The new Code of Practice will:

- set out the responsibilities the police and other law enforcement agencies must follow when accessing personal data
- make sure this data is held and handled in an ethical and fair way within data protection laws
- form the framework for use by His Majesty's Inspectorate of Constabulary and Fire & Rescue Services (HMICFRS) when assessing if these responsibilities are being followed

## Have your say

We welcome views on the new Code of Practice from both members of the public and people across policing.

To get involved:

- read the new Code of Practice and the guidance and glossary documents
- download and complete the consultation questions document – use the operational consultation questions if you work in policing or the public consultation questions if you are a member of the public
- return the consultation questions document by email before Thursday 21 April to [pnc\\_leds\\_code@college.police.uk](mailto:pnc_leds_code@college.police.uk)

## Consultation closed

Thank you to all those who provided feedback.

## Tags

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## Related resources

## Documents in English

- [Consultation – Code of Practice for the PNC and LEDS \(pdf\) 183.57 KB](#)
- [Consultation guidance part A – Code of Practice for the PNC and LEDS \(pdf\) 524.85 KB](#)
- [Consultation guidance part B – Code of Practice for the PNC and LEDS \(pdf\) 364.67 KB](#)
- [Glossary – Code of Practice for the PNC and LEDS \(pdf\) 156.01 KB](#)
- [Questionnaire for operational stakeholders – PNC and LEDS Code of Practice \(docx\) 93.62 KB](#)
- [Questionnaire for public consultation – PNC and LEDS Code of Practice \(docx\) 92.76 KB](#)

## Dogfennau yn Gymraeg

- [Ymgynghori – Cod Ymarfer ar gyfer Cyfrifiadur Cenedlaethol yr Heddlu a Gwasanaeth Data Gorfodir Gyfraith \(pdf\) 163.56 KB](#)
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