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Our ref: GSA 1544/23
Please quote our reference
number when responding

Monday, 17 April 2023

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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: GSA 1544/23

I write in connection with your request for information dated 21/03/2023, I note you seek access to the following information:

In order to keep my investigation up to date and relevant, using the details below, could I please have the data from 2022.

[REDACTED] *Using data from NRM referral records, could you please inform me of the number of NRM referrals, broken down into nationalities, which concern cannabis cultivation. Could I please have the data from 2022 presented in a similar format as seen below.*

2022	
Nationality	Number of NRM Referrals re: Cannabis Cultivation
Grand Total	

Result of Searches

Following receipt of your request, searches were conducted within Greater Manchester Police to locate information relevant to your request. I can confirm that the information you have requested is held by Greater Manchester Police.

Caveats

In July 2019, GMP implemented one of the largest IT infrastructure changes in UK policing. The systems are in continual development and the data provided for this request is what the systems currently hold.

- The figures attached are not exclusive – they are categorised into NRMs for forced cannabis cultivation however it should be noted that other NRMs may be linked to some forced cannabis cultivation falling under criminal exploitation (as an example) – this response is a best fit as a result of this.

Response

NRMs for Cannabis Cultivation in GM area or unknown in 2022

Nationality	Count of Victim Nationality
Albanian	60
Vietnamese	17
British	2
Lithuanian	1
Pakistani	1
Greek	1
Iraqi	1
Grand Total	83

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