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Wednesday, 05 April 2023

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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: GSA 1096/23

I write in connection with your request for information dated 21/02/2023, I note you seek access to the following information:

Question 1 - I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information on the top 10 streets in Manchester with the most accidents in 2022. If possible, would you also be able to provide what type of accidents they were? Did you discover a high amount of accidents that were the same amongst the different streets?

Question 3 - I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information on which type of stores were prone to shoplifting and not prone to shoplifting in Manchester City Centre 2022.

If possible, would you be able to provide the type of items and the quantity these shoplifters chose?

Clarification received on 14/03/2023

That's fine, thank you for telling me. Would you be able to provide the data for the districts Rochdale, Oldham and Manchester?

By 'accidents', I am referring to the number of incident and crimes recorded around the City of Manchester and if possible, the towns Oldham and Rochdale.

That's okay. Can you please provide the number of shoplifting offences recorded in City of Manchester?

I won't proceed with seeking property data.

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 data for a specific location may include crimes that did not happen in that location and/or exclude crimes that did.
 - Some crimes do not have a beat code, which means that they cannot be mapped to other geographies e.g. districts.
 - Some crimes have an incorrect beat code, which means that they are mapped to the wrong geographies.

Question 1:

Incident data

- This data contains incidents in the City of Manchester North, City of Manchester Central, City of Manchester South, Rochdale and Oldham districts with a created date between 1st January 2022 and 31st December 2022, excluding incidents with a closing code of L10 Duplicate, L19 Error or L22 Test or training.

Crime data

- This data contains crimes in the City of Manchester North, City of Manchester Central, City of Manchester South, Rochdale and Oldham districts with a created date between 1st January 2022 to 31st December 2022, excluding cancelled crimes. Further information about cancelled crimes can be obtained from the Home Office Counting Rules.

Question 3:

- This data contains shoplifting crimes in the City of Manchester North, City of Manchester Central and City of Manchester South districts with a created date between 1st January 2022 to 31st December 2022, excluding cancelled crimes. Further information about cancelled crimes can be obtained from the Home Office Counting Rules.

Response

Question 1

	City of Manchester North	City of Manchester Central	City of Manchester South	Rochdale	Oldham
Number incidents of	89,658	73,509	61,451	65,606	70,483
Number of crimes	38,046	35,500	26,491	29,958	29,714

Question 3

	City of Manchester North	City of Manchester Central	City of Manchester South
Shoplifting crimes	964	1,696	1,167

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