

Our ref: 01/FOI/23/011820/K

Please quote our reference
number when responding

Wednesday, 20 December 2023

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/23/011820/K

I write in connection with your request for information dated 18/12/2023, I note you seek access to the following information:

As a freedom of information request, please provide the data regarding the Domestic Violence Disclosure Scheme (also known as Clare's Law). For this request, please provide the following data from 2014 up until the most current date available at the point of production. If data as early as 2014 is not available, please provide it from the first available date onwards. Please provide annual totals of:

- The number of 'right to know' applications
- The number of 'right to ask' applications

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 DVDS data provided is for the period 19/07/2019 - 31/10/2023 and not from 2014 as requested. This data tracker did not start to be recorded until the introduction of the new GMP system (See note above).
- Where possible duplicates have been removed.

Right to Know	No. Applications
2019	N/A
2020	N/A
2021	387
2022	451
2023	629

Right to Ask	No. Applications
2019	56
2020	165
2021	927
2022	1784
2023	2109

•

•