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Date: 7th March 2023
Our ref: GSA 1243/23

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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: GSA 1243/23

I write in connection with your request for information dated 06/03/2023, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

Please can you kindly provide the following information either in spreadsheet format if possible:

The number of logs created for Sudden Deaths() broken down by month for the years 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022, and 2023 so far.*

() - where by somebody has died suddenly and unexpectedly and the police are asked to attend, you may call it something different to "sudden death", INCLUDING sudden deaths due to Covid (you may separate these out but this is not necessary)*

Result of Searches

Following receipt of your request searches were conducted within Greater Manchester Police (GMP) to locate the requested information and I can confirm the information requested is held by GMP.

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.

	Volume of Sudden Death Incidents Created
Aug - Dec 2019	1,960
Jan - Dec 2020	5,110
Jan - Dec 2021	4,978
Jan - Dec 2022	5,479
Jan - Feb 2023	964

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