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Date: 5th May 2023
Our ref: GSA 1968/23

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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: GSA 1968/23

I write in connection with your request for information dated 14/04/2023, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 I would like to request the following information about the number of thefts of a motor vehicle for the past three years. My question is:

- Please can you provide the number of recorded thefts of a motor vehicle in your force area for the past three years (2020, 2021 and 2022)

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.

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.

- This data contains theft or unauthorised taking of a motor vehicle (Home Office classification 48) with a created date between 1st January 2020 and 31st December 2022, excluding cancelled crimes. Further information about cancelled crimes can be obtained from the Home Office Counting Rules.

Year	2020	2021	2022
Number of crimes	6,505	7,436	8,365

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