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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/23/011506/D

I write in connection with your request for information dated 17/10/2023, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

I am sending this request under the Freedom of Information Act to ask for the following information:

- 1) How many officers in your force have currently (as of 18/09/23) been signed off work for stress/anxiety/burnout?*
- 2) How many officers have left the force in:*
 - a) The current financial year (2023-24)?*
 - b) financial year 2022-23?*
 - c) financial year 2021-22?*
 - d) financial year 2020-21?*
- 3) How many officers have joined the force in:*
 - a) The current financial year (2023-24)?*
 - b) financial year 2022-23?*
 - c) financial year 2021-22?*
 - d) financial year 2020-21?*
- 4) How many officers in your force are currently (as of 18/09/23) are under investigation for a) misconduct b) gross misconduct?*

5) *How many officers in your force are currently (as of 18/09/23) suspended from duty following investigation?*

6) *How many officers are currently (as of 18/09/23) working “under conditions” following investigation?*

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.

1. Headcount of officers absent from work as on 30th September 2023 due to a Psychological Disorder (encompassing, stress, anxiety, PTSD, bereavement, depression, postnatal depression, mental health) was 217. This figure is from Force Sickness records for September 2023.
2. Data provided from ‘Balance tab in Starters and Leavers Template for 31st March of relevant year except 2023 – 24 which is as at 30th September.
 - a. 290
 - b. 594
 - c. 541
 - d. 368
3. Please note the joining data was extracted from Starter and Leaver records for each relevant year.
 - a. The year to data is – headcount of 349 officers
 - b. Headcount of Officer joiners 1206
 - c. Headcount of Officer joiners 839
 - d. Headcount of Officer joiners 585
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 - a. 72
 - b. 247
5. 43
6. 133