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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/23/011299/P

I write in connection with your request for information dated 05/09/2023, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

I am interested in obtaining detailed records concerning the number and breeds of dogs that have been seized under Section 3 of the Dangerous Dogs Act in the United Kingdom for the month of July 2023 and August 2023.

Please provide the following information:

- 1. The total number of dogs seized under Section 3 of the Dangerous Dogs Act in the month of July 2023 by the breed or type of the dog.*
- 2. The total number of dogs seized under Section 3 of the Dangerous Dogs Act in the month of August 2023 by the breed or type of the dog.*

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.

Question 1.

Fifteen dogs were seized in July 2023 after an allegation of a section 3 DDA offence. Breakdown as follows;

Breed of dog	Total
XL Bully	1
SBT/Crosses	2
Husky	1
Akita	1
British Bulldog	1

Boxer	1
Malinois	1
American Bulldog	3
Dogue De Bordeaux	1
Cane Corso	1
Mastiffs	2

Question 2.

Thirty-eight dogs were seized in August 2023 after an allegation of a section 3 DDA offence.
Breakdown as follows;

Breed of dog	Total
SBT	7
XL Bully	11
Malinois	1
GSD	3
Bull breed crosses	1
Shih tzu	1
Akita	2
Dobermann	1
American Bulldog	5
Pocket Bully	2
Border Collie	1
Lurcher/Bull breed cross	3