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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/23/011260/A

I write in connection with your request for information dated 26/08/2023, I note you seek access to the following information:

I would like to understand the gender division of labour in detective units. Therefore, could you please provide the following data:

- 1) *Workforce data showing the breakdown of gender within all officer (not police staff) roles and ranks (i.e. the split between officers identifying as male and those identifying as female) (for example, PC: X – Male, Y – Female, P/Sgt.: X – Male, Y – Female, and so forth).*
- 2) *Workforce data showing the breakdown of gender within all detective roles and detective ranks (i.e. the split between officers identifying as male and those identifying as female) (for example, "CID: X – Male, Y – Female, and so forth)*

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

- The data provided have been extracted from Force Strength as of 31st August 2023 and shows headcount figures.
- Question 2 - to identifying 'all detective roles' we have used the CID descriptor and excluded 'Uniform' officers from the data

Question 1

Rank	Female	Male
Constable	2343	3748

Sergeant	390	915
Inspector	111	297
Chief Inspector	59	114
Superintendent	20	50
Chief Superintendent	5	16
Assistant Chief Police Officers	1	7

Question 2

Rank	Female	Male
Constable	591	494
Sergeant	142	197
Inspector	52	85
Chief Inspector	27	43
Superintendent	10	20
Chief Superintendent	0	2

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