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Our ref: 01/FOI/24/013542/K

**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/24/013542/K**

I write in connection with your request for information dated 28/11/2024, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

*BBC News is looking into a story about tickets and would like the following information:*

- 1. Has Greater Manchester Police ever been given group tickets to any event since 2015 to the present day?*
- 2. Has any Greater Manchester police officer or civilian attached to the force sold any of those tickets on secondary websites (i.e. Viagogo, Seatwave, Stubhub, GetMeIn, Twickets)? If yes, were they sold for an inflated price? Please outline the face value of the ticket and the mark up, date and event type/name.*
- 3. Has any officer or civilian attached to the force ever been disciplined for re-selling event tickets online?*

I also note your clarification provided on 22/11/2024:

*Anything more than two tickets please.*

**Result of Searches**

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

1. Yes, there have been 18 instances where group tickets have been recorded as being given to GMP since 2015.

2. No.

3. No.