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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: FOI/24/012684/T

I write in connection with your request for information dated 24/05/2024, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

- 1. *How many internal/external complaints were made against police officers on the Salford district between 2020 to 2023?***
- 2. *Have any internal/external discrimination, bullying, harassment or misconduct complaints been made against officers on the Salford district between 2020 and 2023?***
- 3. *How many of the internal/external complaints were upheld between 2020 to 2023 on the Salford district?***
- 4. *What is the ranking of the officers who internal/external complaints have been made about between 2020 to 2023 on the Salford district?***
- 5. *How many of the officers who internal/external complaints were made about given written warnings on the Salford district?***
- 6. *How many race related internal/external complaints have been made against officers between 2020 to 2023 on the Salford district?***
- 7. *Has any officer between 2020 and 2023 on the Salford district had multiple internal/external complaints made against them?***
- 8. *How many complaints were made internally on the Salford district against supervisors between 2020 to 2023?***
- 9. *What rank were the supervisors who internal complaints were made about internally between 2020 to 2023 on the Salford district?***

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:

Data based on the Officers Staff Location showing on PSD systems as Salford at the time the matter was reported to PSD.

Staff members removed.

Organisational allegations removed.

Some cases are still ongoing.

Question 1

Public Complaints – 485 Cases containing 1,515 allegations.

Internal Reports – 83 Cases containing 180 allegations.

Question 2

There is no specific allegation code for bullying. Therefore, the data contains discrimination allegations and overbearing or harassing behaviours.

Public Complaints – 65 cases containing 142 allegations.

Internal Reports – 6 cases containing 6 allegations.

Question 3

Public Complaints – 2 cases and 2 allegations.

Internal Reports – 17 cases and 31 allegations.

Question 4

Please note the following is for external complaints only – see Q9 for internal.

Data relates to the number of allegations which may differ from the number of cases.

Due to low numbers being returned, some of the totals have been replaced with X, as by providing all this information split by rank and totals as you have requested would significantly increase the likelihood of identifying the individual(s) concerned, and as such the exemption under S40(2) – Personal Information, would be engaged and result in information being refused. By replacing this data in this way, it can be provided in its entirety.

Rank	Total
PC	1205
DC	82
Insp	82
PS	77
DS	34
D.Insp	19
Special	7
DCI	X
Ch.Supt	X
Supt	X

Question 5

Due to some low numbers returned the totals for internal and external complaints have been merged together as by providing all this information split as you have requested would significantly increase the likelihood of identifying the individual(s) concerned, and as such the exemption under S40(2) – Personal Information, would be engaged and result in information being refused. By merging this data it can be provided in its entirety.

Total 3 Officers

Question 6

Due to some low numbers returned the totals for internal and external complaints have been merged together as by providing all this information split as you have requested would significantly increase the likelihood of identifying the individual(s) concerned, and as such the exemption under S40(2) – Personal Information, would be engaged and result in information being refused. By merging this data it can be provided in its entirety.

Total 34 Cases containing 51 allegations.

Question 7

Public Complaints – 185 Officers.

Internal Reports – 15 Officers.

Question 8

Supervisors are classed as Sgt or above. Please see Q9.

Question 9

Due to some low numbers returned, the total number of allegations per rank have been split from each other as by providing all this information together would significantly increase the likelihood of identifying the individual(s) concerned, and as such the exemption under S40(2) – Personal Information, would be engaged and result in information being refused. By splitting this data it can be provided in its entirety.

Total of 16 allegations including the following ranks:

PS

DS

Insp

Supt

D.Insp