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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: FOI/24/012590/O

I write in connection with your request for information dated 07/05/2024, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

PART 1

Please provide the number of incidents, and those that are categorised as crimes, that GMP have 'recorded' for the area of Egmont Street, Salford, M6 7FJ, from 1 January 2020 up until the date of this request.

***2020 - 2021
2021 - 2022
2022 - 2023
2023 - 2024***

Please separate those listed only as incidents and those given crime reference numbers.

PART 2

I would like to ask the same question but for Duchy Road, postcode M6 7LB. Of the total number of incidents / crimes recorded, between 2020 and the current day, between the two areas named above, please can you confirm the following, supplying a breakdown for both the areas of Egmont Street, M6 7FJ and that of Duchy Road, M6 7LB

PART 3

***Incidents / crimes where no action was taken.
Incidents / Crimes that required further investigation.
Incidents / crimes that resulted in an arrest.
Incidents / crimes that led to a successful prosecution.
Any number of incidents / crimes that remain open / unresolved.
Total number of incidents / crimes that are considered as being closed.***

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. However, I am not obliged to provide all the information requested as exemption applies.

Section 17 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 requires Greater Manchester Police, when refusing to provide such information (because this information is exempt) to provide you, the applicant, with a notice which: (a) states that fact, (b) specifies the exemption in question and (c) states (if that would not otherwise be apparent) why the exemption applies.

Section 40 is an absolute exemption with no requirement to complete a public interest test.

Due to the low numbers returned and that you have requested data for a specific location, the breakdown in **part 3** of this request has been exempted from disclosure under Section 40(2) Personal Information – this information constitutes personal data of an identifiable living individual, and to disclose this information would breach the principles of the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) and the Data Protection Act 2018. Personal data is defined by Section 1 of the Data Protection Act 2018 and means data that relates to an individual who can be identified directly or indirectly from that data.

Response to Part 1 and 2

Caveats:

In July 2019, GMP implemented one of the largest IT infrastructure changes in UK policing. The systems are in continual development and the data provided for this request is what the systems currently hold.

- This data contains incidents with a postcode of M6 7FJ and street name 'Egmont Street' OR a postcode of M6 7LB and street name 'Duchy Road', with a created date between 1st January 2020 and 16th May 2024, excluding incidents with a closing code of L10 Duplicate, L19 Error or L22 Test or training.

Due to the low numbers returned the totals per year have been merged together as by providing all this information split by year 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.

Address	Total Crimes	Total incidents with no linked crime
Egmont Street	47	35
Duchy Road	19	14

Please note for conviction data, GMP do not hold this information. Conviction data needs to be requested from the Courts.
