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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/25/015203/B

I write in connection with your request for information dated 28/07/2025, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

How many police officers were assaulted on duty in your police force area in the financial years

2024 - 2025

2023 - 2024

2022 - 2023

I would be grateful if you could send me this information by email.

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:

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 crimes recorded under Home Office offence 008/73 'Assault or assault by beating on a constable' or 008/73 'Assault or assault by beating on an emergency worker (except a constable)' with a created date between 1st January 2020 and 1st November 2024, excluding cancelled crimes. Further information about cancelled crimes can be obtained from the Home Office Counting Rules.

Financial Year	Count
2022/23	1694
2023/24	2055
2024/25	2075
Total	5824

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