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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/25/015935/E

I write in connection with your request for information dated 01/12/2025, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

I have the following questions:

1: Do you currently offer a diversion/education course for people who have been caught for kerb crawling? If not: have you ever offered such a course, and if so, why was the course discontinued? Are there any discussions about introducing such a course at the moment?

2: If you currently offer such a course, could you please provide me with the following info:

- start date of the initiative***
- how often is it running and participants per course***
- Anything you might be able to share about aims/objectives***
- how many people has to been offered to on an annual basis for the last 5 years***
- what are the criteria for being offered the course?***
- how many people chose to do the course / declined to do the course***
- what was the reoffending rate for kerb crawling among those that participated in the course / did not participate in the course?***

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 not held by GMP.