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**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/24/013749/X**

I write in connection with your request for information dated 29/11/2024, I note you seek access to the following information:

*I would like to resubmit questions 1, 3 and 4 of my request*

*1. How many arrests were made for stalking and harassment in the past five years?*

*1a. Please break this figure down by year, from April 1st to March 31st (e.g. 2019/20, 2020/21, etc.)*

*3. What were the ages of offenders? Please break this down by age group (e.g. Under 18, 18-24, 25-30, etc)*

*4. How many offenders were male, female, non-binary or other/unspecified?*

**Result of Searches**

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

**Caveat**

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.

**Data**

1. Total for last 5 years 1/04/19 – 31/03/24 = 19,905

1a. 2019/20 = 661

2020/21 = 2,148

2021/22 = 4,100

2022/23 = 6,721

2023/24 = 6,298

3.

| <b>Detainee: Age at time of arrest</b> | <b>2019/20</b> | <b>2020/21</b> | <b>2021/22</b> | <b>2022/23</b> | <b>2023/24</b> |
|----------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| less than 18                           | 16             | 33             | 72             | 149            | 154            |
| 18-24                                  | 87             | 248            | 426            | 664            | 707            |
| 25-39                                  | 313            | 982            | 1661           | 2664           | 2891           |
| 40-49                                  | 94             | 330            | 627            | 1109           | 1165           |
| 50-59                                  | 53             | 121            | 259            | 484            | 552            |
| 60-69                                  | 13             | 27             | 52             | 118            | 127            |
| 70+                                    | 1              | 6              | 12             | 28             | 22             |
| Age not stated                         |                |                | 1              |                |                |

4.

| <b>Detainee: Gender</b> | <b>2019/20</b> | <b>2020/21</b> | <b>2021/22</b> | <b>2022/23</b> | <b>2023/24</b> |
|-------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Male                    | 532            | 1619           | 2877           | 4626           | 4933           |
| Female                  | 44             | 127            | 232            | 575            | 674            |
| Unknown                 | 1              | 1              | 1              | 15             | 11             |