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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/25/014774/B

I write in connection with your request for information dated 15/05/2025, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

Please provide a breakdown of the number of reported burglaries in Manchester over the last four calendar years (2021, 2022, 2023, and 2024), broken down by ward. Please include the total number of burglaries recorded in each area per year.

If available, I would also appreciate any accompanying information that shows which areas had the highest number of burglaries in each year.

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. However, I am not obliged to supply all the information you have requested as exemptions apply.

When refusing to provide such information because an exemption applies, Section 17(1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 requires GMP, 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.

The requested information is exempt under **Section 21 – Information accessible to applicant by other means**. GMP publish information on burglaries by district on our website. [Neighbourhood crime | Greater Manchester Police](#).

GMP do not record the council ward on crimes, so no information is held by GMP regarding this.