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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: FOI/25/014525/M

I write in connection with your request for information dated 02/04/2025, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

Under the Freedom of Information Act, I would like to request the following information for the last three years in which the information is available.

The total number of Fixed Penalty Notice and court fines which were given for licence plate offences, specifically the offence related to the Road Vehicles (Display of Registration Marks) Regulations 2001 under section 11.

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.

For details relating to court fines, you will need to redirect your request to HMCTS. In respect of offences submitted to the CTO for process by way of the fixed penalty procedure, see below table

OFFENCE	2022	2023	2024	2025
Keep a vehicle with registration mark obscured	10	1	1	0
Use an incorrectly registered vehicle	11	2	3	3
Drive a vehicle when the registration mark fails to conform with regulations	2876	2367	2020	560
Keep a vehicle when registration mark fails to conform with the regulations	1412	252	484	143
Drive vehicle no front registration plate - registered after 30/09/38	96	130	107	26
Keep vehicle no front registration plate - registered after 30/09/38	76	43	45	6

Drive vehicle / vehicle and trailer no rear registration plate - registered after 30/09/38	102	67	104	45
Keep vehicle no rear registration plate - registered after 30/09/38	15	7	7	2
Drive a vehicle with registration mark obscured / indistinguishable	93	92	98	25