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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/26/016119/F

I write in connection with your request for information dated 07/01/2026, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

*****Revised from 01/FOI/25/016047/L*****

a) The total number of recorded offences of indecent images (still or moving) of children and prohibited images of children for the period 1 April 2024 to 31 March 2025.

d) What is the total number of perpetrators linked to the offences in question a?

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 data provided for this request is based on a search of the HO crime codes 086/10 & 086/15 recorded between 01/04/2024 to 31/03/2025 inclusive.
- Please note 1 crime is recorded for each victim/ perpetrator e.g If the crime committed has a single victim but 2 perpetrators there will be 2 crimes recorded both with the same victim. Similarly, if there are 2 victims and a single perpetrator there will be 2 crimes.
- Duplicates have been removed where possible.

- Please note the date is based on the 'Crime Recorded' date and not when the Incident occurred.
- The data provided for this request is subject to change as crimes are progressed and/ or updated.

	Volume of Crimes	Volume of Perpetrators
086/10	373	373
086/15	16	16
Total	389	389
