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**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/26/017112/C**

I write in connection with your request for information dated 22/06/2026, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

*Please provide the number of offences recorded by your force under each of the following CJS offence codes, broken down by financial year for each of the last five available financial years (e.g. 2021/22 to 2025/26, or the five most recent years for which data is held):*

*Group A – simple possession:*

*MD71596 – Possess a controlled drug of Class B – Ketamine*

*MD71596A – Attempt to possess a controlled drug of Class B – Ketamine*

*Group B – production, supply and possession with intent to supply:*

*MD71591 – Produce Ketamine*

*MD71591C – Conspire to produce Ketamine*

*MD71592 – Concerned in production of Ketamine*

*MD71593 – Supply a controlled drug of Class B – Ketamine*

*MD71593A – Attempt to supply a controlled drug of Class B – Ketamine*

*MD71593C – Conspiracy to supply a controlled drug of Class B – Ketamine*

*MD71594 – Offer to supply ketamine*

*MD71595 – Concerned in the supply of ketamine*

*MD71597 – Possess with intent to supply a controlled drug of Class B – Ketamine*

*MD71597A – Attempt to possess with intent to supply a controlled drug of Class B – Ketamine*

*MD71598 – Permit use of premises for supply of ketamine*

*Please provide the figures separately for Group A and Group B, and broken down by year, rather than as a single combined total.*

## **Result of Searches**

Following receipt of your request searches were conducted within Greater Manchester Police (GMP) to locate information relevant to your request. I can confirm that the information you have 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 systems currently hold.

This data contains crimes with a created date between 01 April 2021 and 31 March 2026 where the crime contains classification codes 92A, 92C, and 92D, excluding cancelled crimes and crimes classified as fraud. Further information about cancelled crimes can be obtained from the Home Office Counting Rules. Details regarding fraud crime can be obtained by contacting the NFIB.

| <b>Offence</b>                                                              | <b>2021<br/>/2022</b> | <b>2022<br/>/2023</b> | <b>2023<br/>/2024</b> | <b>2024<br/>/2025</b> | <b>2025<br/>/2026</b> |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| Ketamine (Special K or Club 'horse' drug)                                   | 9                     | 12                    | 35                    | 26                    | 41                    |
| Possession of a controlled drug with intent to supply - Ketamine            | 5                     | 8                     | 1                     | 1                     | 1                     |
| Supplying or offering to supply a controlled drug - Ketamine                | 1                     | 0                     | 2                     | 0                     | 1                     |
| Production or being concerned in production of a controlled drug - Ketamine | 0                     | 0                     | 0                     | 1                     | 0                     |