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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/26/016877/K

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, public authorities can amalgamate requests from the same individual that are on the same subject matter if they are received within 60 working days of each other. Therefore, the three requests you sent to us on 13th and 14th May regarding hotels in Stockport have been merged into one request.

REQUEST 1

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, I request the following recorded information for the period 1 January 2024 to 31 December 2025 relating to:

- * Britannia Hotel, Dialstone Lane, Stockport*
- * Bredbury Hall Hotel, Stockport Road West, Bredbury*

Please provide, for each location separately where possible:

- * The total number of recorded incidents and/or crimes*
- * The number of incidents resulting in arrest*
- * The number of incidents resulting in charge or summons*

Please also provide a breakdown of recorded incidents and/or crimes by offence category, including where available:

- * Violence against the person*
- * Assaults*
- * Sexual offences*
- * Theft offences*
- * Robbery*
- * Drug offences*

- * Criminal damage
- * Public order offences
- * Possession of weapons
- * Harassment and stalking
- * Domestic abuse related incidents
- * Missing persons incidents
- * Safeguarding related incidents
- * Any other recorded offence categories

If held, please also provide:

- * The number of police callouts to each location
- * The number of incidents classified as high risk or requiring urgent response
- * The number of incidents involving ambulances or other emergency services attending alongside police

REQUEST 2

Freedom of Information Request - Bredbury Hall Hotel, Stockport

Dear Freedom of Information Officer,

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, I would like to request information relating to incidents and calls connected to Bredbury Hall Hotel, Stockport, covering the period from 1 January 2024 to 31 December 2025 inclusive.

Please provide, if held:

** The total number of 101 calls made to Greater Manchester Police relating to Bredbury Hall Hotel during this period.*

** Where possible, the total number of distinct incidents linked to those calls, acknowledging that multiple calls may relate to the same incident.*

** A breakdown, where available, of the reported or suspected incident/crime types associated with these calls or incidents. Examples may include:*

- * Assault
- * Theft
- * Criminal damage
- * Public order offences
- * Domestic incidents
- * Sexual offences
- * Drug-related offences
- * Anti-social behaviour
- * Welfare or safeguarding concerns
- * Any other recorded categories

** If available within cost limits, a yearly or monthly breakdown of the above figures.*

REQUEST 3

Freedom of Information Request - The Britannia Hotel, Stockport

Dear Freedom of Information Officer,

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, I would like to request information relating to incidents and calls connected to The Britannia Hotel, Stockport, covering the period from 1 January 2024 to 31 December 2025 inclusive.

Please provide, if held:

* The total number of 101 calls made to Greater Manchester Police relating to The Britannia Hotel during this period.

* Where possible, the total number of distinct incidents linked to those calls, acknowledging that multiple calls may relate to the same incident.

* A breakdown, where available, of the reported or suspected incident/crime types associated with these calls or incidents. Examples may include:

- * Assault
- * Theft
- * Criminal damage
- * Public order offences
- * Domestic incidents
- * Sexual offences
- * Drug-related offences
- * Anti-social behaviour
- * Welfare or safeguarding concerns
- * Any other recorded categories

* If available within cost limits, a yearly or monthly breakdown of the above figures.

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.

However, GMP does not hold the information that you have requested in an easily retrievable format. To provide the data requested about the number of calls received would involve a manual search of all call recordings to establish whether they are relevant to your request.

GMP received 1,332,162 Public calls in 2024 and 1,527,010 Public calls in 2025, to go back to the required time frame, and determine the nature of each call, it would require the calls to be listened to in full, and this would far exceed the 18-hour limit. Therefore, to comply with the whole of your request the process would take over 18 hours' work which exceeds the appropriate limit of £450.00, the amount to which we are legally required to respond.

As per section 12(1) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, the cost of providing you with the information is therefore above the amount to which we are legally required to respond i.e. the cost of locating and retrieving the information exceeds the 'appropriate level' as stated in the Freedom of Information (Fees and Appropriate Limit) Regulations 2004. If one part of the

request engages a Section 12 response, the whole request will engage a Section 12 response. The reason being is locating, retrieving and extracting any further information would only add to the already exceeded time obligations and so no other searches have been completed at this stage.

In accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000, this letter acts as a Refusal Notice.

GMP is obligated, pursuant to section 16(1) of the Act to provide you with advice and assistance on refining your request to bring compliance within the fees limit. In order for the force to keep this within the fees limit, the information that you are requesting will need to be reduced to a greatly reduced time period. The resulting response cannot be guaranteed at this point as it will be dependent upon the number of records that fall within the scope of any new request, as they would still have to be manually assessed.