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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: 01/FOI/26/016583/Z

I write in connection with your request for information dated 16/03/2026, received by Greater Manchester Police (GMP) for the following information:

Please provide the total number of offenses recorded as robbery of personal property (034/01; Theft Act 1968, s.8(1)) between 1 January 2024 and 1 January 2026.

If this exceeds the Section 12 cost limit, please advise under Section 16 on a narrower scope.

If any information is exempt, please provide the non-exempt portions and cite the specific exemption(s).

Thank you for your time and consideration.

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 January 2024' and '01 January 2026', with a Home Office 5-digit code of 034/01 and offence level 'robbery of personal

property'. This excludes 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.

There have been 7,171 crimes recorded as robbery of personal property (034/01; Theft Act 1968, s.8(1)) between 1 January 2024 and 1 January 2026.