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Dear Mr Soper

I write in response to the above-referenced Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) request submitted on 14 October 2020. Thames Valley Police has now considered this request, which for clarity, has been repeated below:

<u>Request</u>	<u>Response</u>
<p>Section 72 of the Highway Act 1835 prohibits 'wilfully riding' on footpaths, which refers to the path at the side of a carriageway. This offence is usually charged under Schedule 3 and Section 51 of the Road Traffic Offenders Act 1988</p> <p>How many times in the last 12 months have the Police enforced this law within the city of Oxford? i.e. how many cautions or fines have been handed out by TVP for breaking the law cited above?Yours faithfully,Nathan</p>	<p>Thames Valley Police has records of 1 (one) fixed penalty being issued.</p>

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If you require any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact this office.

Yours sincerely

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