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FOI Ref: 21/03/0456

Dear Mr Swift,

Freedom of Information Request 21/03/0456

I write in response to your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 received on **31st March 2021**.

The West Midlands PCC has published new figures on vehicle thefts at [\[Link\]West midlands vehicle thefts](#). I ask to be provided in excel format, your figures from 01/01/2017 to the present date, month on month by manufacturer:

- *% of all cars stolen*
- *% of registrations*
- *Number of vehicles stolen*

The attached appendix provides details relevant to this request; Please consider the information notice highlighted in red when analysing the data.

With regards the percentage of new registrations between 2017-2021 for the Kent area, Kent Police does not hold this information. I would advise requesting this data from the DVLA.

Thank you for your interest in Kent Police. If you have any queries about your request or the application of the FOIA generally, please contact this office quoting the reference number above.

Yours sincerely,

James Buckingham

Public Disclosure Officer

Your right to appeal

We take our responsibilities under the Freedom of Information Act seriously but if you feel your request has not been properly handled or you are otherwise dissatisfied with the outcome of your request, you have 40 working days from the date the response is issued to request that Kent Police carry out an internal review.

If your request for a review concerns the decision to apply an exemption, it would assist if you would outline why you believe the exemption does not apply.

Kent Police will acknowledge receipt of any request for a review and aim to respond as soon as practicable, in most cases within 20 working days of receipt. If the review will not be completed in this timescale, you will be informed.

You may lodge your request for a review in writing:

Our email address is: freedomofinformation@kent.police.uk

Our postal address is:

Freedom of Information
Coldharbour,
London Road,
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If you are still dissatisfied following our internal review, you have the right under section 50 of the Act to appeal directly to the Information Commissioner who would normally expect you to have exhausted the internal review procedure provided by Kent Police.

For information on how to appeal to the Information Commissioner please visit the website at www.ico.org.uk. Alternatively, phone or write to:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF
0303 123 1113