

Our Ref: 003910/19

Your Ref:

Address Correspondence to: Linda Dempsey, Information Management

Date 23 October 2019

Dear Maria Cunha e Silva,

Freedom of Information Act 2000

I write further to your request for information received 22/10/2019.

I note you seek access to the following information:

- 1. How many cases of coercive control were reported this year?
- 2. What is the same figure for 2018, 2017 and 2016?
- 3. In how many coercive control cases was the victim a women?
- 4. And a men?
- 5. How many persons were arrested for coercive control this year?
- 6. What is the same figure for 2018, 2017 and 2016?

Following receipt of your request, searches were conducted within Leicestershire Police to locate information relevant to your request.

Your request for information has now been considered and the information asked for is as follows: -

Year	Number of offences	
2016	46	
2017	95	
2018	221	
2019	276	
TOTAL	638	

Table below shows gender of the victims

TOTAL	584	66	1
2019	241	36	0
2018	210	13	1
2017	89	7	0
2016	44	10	0
Year	Female	Male	Unknown

Data shown in tables below for FOI 3910-19. Data for 2019 is up until 22/10/2019. With regards to the gender of victims, note that some crimes are recorded with more than one victim which is why the totals for the numbers of victims and crimes are different.

Leicestershire Police provides you the right to ask for a re-examination of your request under its review procedure. Letters should be addressed to Information Manager, Corporate Services Department at the above address. If you decide to request such a review and having followed the Force's full process you are still dissatisfied, then you have the right to direct your comments to the Information Commissioner who will give it consideration.

Yours sincerely

Linda Dempsey

Linda Dempsey Freedom of Information Officer Leicestershire Police

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