

Mr Neil Lyndon

**Derbyshire Constabulary** 

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Ask For: Freedom of Information

Our Ref: 003196/21

Your Ref: Records of Domestic Abuse

Date: 1 July 2021

Dear Mr Lyndon

# FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST - REFERENCE NO: 003196/21

I write in connection with your request for information which was received by Derbyshire Constabulary on 08/06/2021. I note you seek access to the following information:

My request concerns police records of domestic abuse in the years 2019, 2020 and 2021. I want the figures, please, for January-May of those years for:

- 1) Number of calls to the police reporting an incident of domestic abuse
- 2) Number of arrests and charges relating to domestic abuse
- 3) Number of prosecutions for domestic abuse
- 4) Number of homicides flagged as being related to domestic abuse

#### **Result of Searches**

Following receipt of your request, searches were conducted within Derbyshire Constabulary to locate any relevant information. The searches located some information relevant to your request.

#### Decision

I have today decided to disclose the located information to you in full.

# 1. Please see below table

ROC Calendar year	Count of Incident number
2019	18158
2020	19253
2021	8119





### 2. Please see below

Occurrence Created Year	Count of Occurrence No.
2019	25890
2020	28222
2021	10696

## 3. Please see below table

Year	Arrests with Charges
2019	2966
2020	2846
2021	631

## 4. Please see below table

Year	Domestic Murders
2019	4
2020	3
2021	0

In relation to this data please note the following:

- The data has been extracted from the Constabulary's Crime System which is, to all intent a 'living' system in that it is constantly being updated. As such the data can only be verified for the date/time extracted.
- Police forces in the United Kingdom are routinely required to provide crime statistics to
  government bodies and the recording criteria is set nationally. However, the systems
  used for recording these figures are not generic, nor are the procedures used locally in
  capturing the crime data. It should be noted that for these reasons this Constabulary's
  response to your questions should not be used for comparison purposes with any other
  response you may receive.

# Right to Request a Review (Complaint)

Your attention is drawn to the attached sheet, which details your right of complaint.

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your interest in Derbyshire Constabulary.





Should you have any further enquiries concerning this matter, please write or contact the Freedom of Information Officer, on the above telephone number quoting the reference number in the header.

Yours sincerely

Kevin Lea Freedom of Information Officer

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