



Dear Ms Savage,

Gloucestershire Constabulary Freedom of Information request 2017.0150

On the 7th February 2017 you sent an email constituting a request under the Freedom of Information Act asking the following:

1. Between 1 July 2016 and 31 December 2016, how many domestic abuse crimes were recorded by your police authority?
2. How many of the above domestic abuse crimes were recorded as having the following outcomes:
Type 01: Charged/Summoned
Type 03: Caution – adults
Type 15: Evidential difficulties prevent further action; victim supports police action
Type 16: Evidential difficulties prevent further action; victim does not support police action

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 s1, I can confirm that Gloucestershire Constabulary holds some relevant information.

1. 1400

2. Type 01- 328; Type 03- 36; Type 15- 196; Type 16- 703

Police Forces in the United Kingdom are routinely required to provide 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 data. It should be noted that for these reasons the figures given relate to information from the specific recording system of Gloucestershire Constabulary and should not be used for comparison purposes with any other response you receive.

If you are not satisfied with this response or any actions taken in dealing with your request, you have the right to ask that we review your case under our internal procedure. Please note that a request for an internal review must be made within 20 working days of the response to your original request.

If you decide to request that such a review is undertaken and following this process you are still unsatisfied, you then have the right to direct your complaint to the Information Commissioner for consideration.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs J Steedman
Disclosure Officer
Gloucestershire Constabulary

