Please ask for : Andrea Gabbitas Telephone Number: 0121 626 6060

Our Reference: 2025-00990 wmpcc@westmidlands.police.uk



Date: 18/08/2025

Dear FOI Applicant,

Thank you for your freedom of information request received in this office on **29 July** 2025 in which you asked:

'Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, please supply the following for the period 1 Jan 2019 to the most recent month available:

- 1. Monthly arrest totals broken down by Home Office crime type.
- 2. Recorded offences and separate arrest totals for:
  - Knife-enabled crime Gang-related violence Residential burglary Sexual offences
- 3. Grooming-gang investigations: number opened, number concluded, prosecutions secured.
- 4. Arrests, charges, or convictions involving foreign-national suspects (please break down by nationality if held).
- 5. Cases closed with "No Further Action" (NFA) provide count and % of total.
- 6. Recorded allegations that the force failed to act on reports of child sexual exploitation (outcome of each).
- 7. Stop-and-search and use-of-force incidents (form 5090) monthly totals by ethnicity, age, and' outcome.

In response to your request, I can confirm that the OPCC can provide monthly figures from 2023-2025 for:

- The number of arrests
- The number of crimes recorded
- The number of Stop and Searches
- The number of Use of Force Forms

These figures are included in the attachment titled, 'FOI-039 – Crime Data Attachment 1 (2025-00990)'. We are unable to provide this information in any format other than PDF.

We do not hold any further information in relation to your request. However, this information may be held by West Midlands Police. please see the following contact details should you wish to submit your request to West Midlands Police.

## Freedom on Information Unit

West Midlands Police PO Box Box 52, Lloyd House Colmore Circus Queensway Birmingham **B4 6NQ** 

E-mail: foi@westmidlands.police.uk

## Freedom of Information Right of Appeal

Any person who has requested information from the Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner (OPCC) and is unhappy with the way their request for information has been handled can request a review of their case.

A request for review must be made in writing by letter or email. You should include the reference number of your request if you have it, and outline why you are requesting the review to:

Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner Lloyd House Birmingham B4 6NQ

Telephone: 0121 626 6060

Email: wmpcc@west-midlands.pnn.police.uk

All requests for review will be recorded. Receipt of a request for internal review will be acknowledged and the appellant informed of an estimated date for determining the outcome. The OPCC will attempt to respond to internal reviews as soon as practicable and in any case within two months.

All investigations will be undertaken by someone not involved in the original response.

The result of any internal review will be communicated to the appellant outlining the decisions taken.

If you remain dissatisfied with the handling of your request or complaint, you have a right to appeal to the Information Commissioner at:

The Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF

Telephone: 08456 30 60 60 or 01625 54 57 45

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Website: www.ico.gov.uk

There is no charge for making a request for internal review or appeal to the Information Commissioner.

Yours sincerely,

Andrea Gabbitas

Head of Business Services