



Our Ref: 000074/21

Your Ref:

Address Correspondence to: Information Management

Date 05 February 2021

Freedom of Information Act 2000

I write further to your request for information received 07/01/2021.

I note you seek access to the following information:

The number of Fixed Penalty Notices issued by your force under Coronavirus regulations between 27 March 2020 and 31 December 2020, broken down by ethnicity AND offence.

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: -

Please see attached spreadsheet containing information relating to your request, this covers the period from the first National lockdown 23/03/20 up to 04/01/21.

The breakdown has been provided per legislation change.

We are aware that when comparing the figures to the relative population there is disproportionality seen in relation to the black and Asian community. We routinely examine any concerns of disproportionality and work with members of the community in a transparent way to understand the cause. It is important to note that a significant number of people given tickets were from out of force area and when comparing the numbers to the population they relate to a very small minority. For example we are giving out 1.2 FPN's per 1000 heads of the population.

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

Freedom of Information Officer
Leicestershire Police

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