



Our Ref: 000141/21

Your Ref:

Address Correspondence to: Information Management

Date 02 February 2021

Freedom of Information Act 2000

I write further to your request for information received 12/01/2021.

I note you seek access to the following information:

I am looking for the number of reported incidences of sexual misconduct and sexual assault that have taken place in your region in the last 5 years, in a sports setting, where the victim is under the age of 18.

To summarise, the number of reports sexual misconduct and sexual assault:

- In your region*
- Across the last 5 calendar years*
- Where the victim is under 18*
- taken place in a sports setting (a sports hall, sports training session, match, coaching sessions, etc.)*
- This could be at the hands of a coach or an athlete, or simply anyone involved in the sports team/club. The perpetrator can be of any age.*

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: -

Leicestershire Police have recorded the below offences in each year meeting the criteria of your request:

2016 – 21

2017 – 9

2018 – 7

2019 – 6

2020 – 3

Please be aware these figures are for Leicestershire Police area, not the whole East Midlands Region.

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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