



Our Ref: 001459/21

Your Ref:

Address Correspondence to: Information Management

Date 19 May 2021

Freedom of Information Act 2000

I write further to your request for information received 28/04/2021.

I note you seek access to the following information:

I would like to know the number of drink-spiking incidents reported every year for the last 5 available years (if you have provisional numbers for 2021, please include them too and state which period they cover). As well as the number of incidents, I would like any information available about (1) the victim and (2) the perpetrator (e.g. their age, gender, ethnicity, etc.) as well as (3) the location of the crime (e.g. street name, postcode, or name of the specific location where the incident happened). Finally, I would like to know whether for each drink spiking incident reported a suspect was (1) arrested, (2) charged, (3) tried in court, and (4) convicted. For convictions, I would like to know (5) the nature and length of the sentence.

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. Please note this has been provided for the last 5 fiscal years (2016/17 – 2020/21).

Leicestershire Police do not hold information relating to convictions, this information would need to be sought from HMCTS.

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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