



Dear

Gloucestershire Constabulary Freedom of Information request 2023.0300

On 13/03/2023 you sent an email constituting a request under the Freedom of Information Act asking the following:

Please could you tell me the total number of offenders you have in your force area classed as 'wanted' for each of the following years: 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, 2022. Please use per calendar year or per financial year, or whichever is most convenient for how you record the data.

Could you break this information down to tell me:

- the number of wanted offenders by category, ie. Absconder/Escapee, Breach of court bail, Failure to appear, (or in whatever way you record this)
- the risk level of each wanted offender, i.e. low, medium or high risk (or in whatever way you record this)

If these three requests exceed the cost limits, please just tell me the number of wanted offenders in the past year by categories.

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

I can confirm that from a search conducted on 15/03/2023, there are 265 live warrants in the Gloucestershire Constabulary force area. Please note that due to the nature of information regarding FTA warrants, being that systems and records are regularly changing and updating, this figure is only valid for the day the search was conducted.

	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023
Warrant FTSB CAT A	1	3	2	5	6	6
Warrant FTSB CAT B	13	10	14	37	68	39
Warrant FTSB CAT C		3		8	3	1
Warrant in First Instance CAT A			1			
Warrant in First Instance CAT B	4	1		8	6	4
Warrant in First Instance CAT C						
Warrant Breach of Court Order	3		1	3	12	3

With regards to the risk level of the warrants, there is no information held by Gloucestershire Constabulary. The risk is assessed by the courts and the appropriate category of warrant is issued.

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,

Disclosure Officer
Gloucestershire Constabulary