



Your reference:

Our reference: FOI_24_0701

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Date: 21/08/2024

Dear

Gloucestershire Constabulary Freedom of Information request FOI_24_0701

On 26/07/2024 you sent an email constituting a request under the Freedom of Information Act asking the following:

Please can you supply me with the following information: -

Between 1st June 2023 to 30th November 2023: -

1. How many touring caravans were reported stolen?
2. How many touring caravans were recovered intact?
3. How many touring caravans were recovered with damage or theft of contents being experienced?
4. How many stolen touring caravans have not been recovered and are still outstanding?
5. How many stolen touring caravans were recovered and the thief responsible arrested in possession of the caravan?
6. How many stolen touring caravans were recovered and the thief responsible arrested from enquires later?
7. What is the total value of all the stolen touring caravans during this period?

Between 1st December 2023 to 31st May 2024: -

1. How many touring caravans were reported stolen?

2. How many touring caravans were recovered intact?
3. How many touring caravans were recovered with damage or theft of contents being experienced?
4. How many stolen touring caravans have not been recovered and are still outstanding?
5. How many stolen touring caravans were recovered and the thief responsible arrested in possession of the caravan?
6. How many stolen touring caravans were recovered and the thief responsible arrested from enquires later?
7. What is the total value of all the stolen touring caravans during this period?

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

Police Forces in the United Kingdom are routinely required to provide statistics to government bodies and the recording criteria is set nationally. However, the systems used for recording these figures are not generic, nor are the procedures used locally in capturing the data. It should be noted that for these reasons the figures given relate to information from the specific recording system of Gloucestershire Constabulary and should not be used for comparison purposes with any other response you receive.

Please note that our systems are designed to record information for policing purposes and the investigation of crime and not to extract statistical information. Accordingly whilst we endeavour to extract relevant data within the time limits of the Act, any data supplied is subject to these limitations.

A search has been conducted of the Crime Recording System for substantiated crimes recorded between 01/06/2023 and 31/05/2024 where the property item of "caravan/trailer|" or "caravan/trailer|caravan" has been recorded as stolen. The results have then been manually reviewed to identify the records relevant to your request. Please see below for the requested data.

1. In total, 16 records have been identified;
 - 01/06/2023 – 30/11/2023: 11
 - 01/12/2023 – 31/05/2024: 5
2. 0 caravans have been recovered, therefore, 0 have been recovered intact.
3. N/A
4. 16
5. No Information Held; no suspects have been identified, therefore no arrests have been made.
6. As Q5, No Information Held
7. The property value is not a mandatory field and the total therefore only be provided for those records where the information has been recorded;
 - 01/06/2023 – 30/11/2023: £78,251.04
 - 01/12/2023 – 31/05/2024: £67,000.01

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.

The Information Commissioner can be contacted via the following means:

Website - <https://ico.org.uk/>

Call their helpline - 0303 123 1113

Email - casework@ico.org.uk

Post –

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
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Yours sincerely,

Disclosure Officer
Gloucestershire Constabulary