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Dear

Gloucestershire Constabulary Freedom of Information request FOI_24_0848

On 16/09/2024 you sent an email constituting a request under the Freedom of Information Act asking the following:

What you outlined in the S16 is fine, I would like to be provided that if you can

The request is a follow-on from previous request 24_0767 where the following was suggested as an alternative search:

A search can be conducted for the Theft offences listed, broken down by ethnicity and recorded Home Office defined outcome.

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 of the Crime Recording System was carried out to identify all relevant crimes recorded between 01/01/2018 and 31/12/2021. The results have been filtered by the MO Location types of:
Location in Public Place

- Bus
- Bus Station
- Railway Station
- Taxi
- Transport

The results for “Transport” have then been manually reviewed for relevance to your request.

The results have been broken down by ethnicity of the offender and the home office defined outcomes. Please see the tables below.

Offence / Ethnicity	Year				Total
	2018	2019	2020	2021	
Theft from the person of another					
Any Other Mixed Background	1				1
Any Other White Background	1			1	2
Black African	3	1			4
Black Caribbean				1	1
British	2	7	3	2	14
Not Stated - Called Away		1			1
Unknown		2			2
Not Recorded	390	355	172	211	1128
Theft of conveyance not m/v, cycle					
British	1		1		2
Not Recorded	17	8	7	3	35
Theft of p/cycle					
Any Other Black Background	1				1
Any Other Mixed Background	1	1			2
Any Other White Background				1	1
Black Caribbean	1			4	5
British	29	26	26	10	91
Irish	3	2	2	1	8
Mixed White / Black Caribbean	3		3		6
Not Stated - Called Away				1	1
Unknown		1		1	2
Not Recorded	945	804	713	503	2965
Theft -unclassified					
Any Other Black Background	2			1	3

Any Other Ethnic Group	1	1			2
Any Other Mixed Background	2	1			3
Any Other White Background	13	4	8	4	29
Black African	9	3			12
Black Caribbean				1	1
British	72	131	61	30	294
Indian		1	2	1	4
Irish	2	7	2		11
Mixed White / Asian		2			2
Mixed White / Black Caribbean	3	4	2		9
Not Stated - Called Away	5	4	2	3	14
Pakistani		1			1
Unknown	10	6	5	5	26
Not Recorded	2512	2680	2083	2227	9502
Twoc conveyance not m/v ,cycle					
Not Recorded	1	1		4	6
Twoc pedal cycle					
British		1			1
Not Recorded	4		1		5
Total	4034	4055	3093	3015	14197

Offence / Outcome	Year				Total
	2018	2019	2020	2021	
Theft from the person of another					
1 - Charged/Summons	4	8	2	2	16
10 - Not in public interest (Police)	1	1			2
12 - Prosecution prevented: suspect too ill				1	1
13 - Prosecution prevented: victim/key witness dead/too ill	2	1			3
14 - Evidential difficulties: suspect not identified; victim does not support further action	13	3	16	24	56
15 - Evidential difficulties: suspect identified; victim supports action	23	18	10	15	66
16 - Evidential difficulties: suspect identified; victim does not support further action	30	56	39	41	166
18 - Investigation complete: no suspect identified	315	272	101	129	817
20 - Action undertaken by another body/agency	2			1	3

21 - Further investigation to support formal action not in the public interest	5	4	5	1	15
8 - Community Resolution	2	2	1	1	6
Unknown		1	1		2
Theft of conveyance not m/v, cycle					
1 - Charged/Summons	1		1		2
14 - Evidential difficulties: suspect not identified; victim does not support further action	1				1
15 - Evidential difficulties: suspect identified; victim supports action		1			1
16 - Evidential difficulties: suspect identified; victim does not support further action			1		1
18 - Investigation complete: no suspect identified	15	7	5	3	30
21 - Further investigation to support formal action not in the public interest	1		1		2
Theft of p/cycle					
1 - Charged/Summons	32	22	28	13	95
10 - Not in public interest (Police)	1	2	1		4
13 - Prosecution prevented: victim/key witness dead/too ill		1	1	1	3
14 - Evidential difficulties: suspect not identified; victim does not support further action	13	13	29	35	90
15 - Evidential difficulties: suspect identified; victim supports action	28	23	24	27	102
16 - Evidential difficulties: suspect identified; victim does not support further action	31	48	39	24	142
18 - Investigation complete: no suspect identified	867	708	609	411	2595
20 - Action undertaken by another body/agency	1	1	1	1	4
21 - Further investigation to support formal action not in the public interest	4	6	10		20
22 - Diversionary		5		4	9
3 - Adult Caution		1	1		2
8 - Community Resolution	5	4	1	5	15
Unknown	1				1
Theft -unclassified					
1 - Charged/Summons	61	131	51	22	265
10 - Not in public interest (Police)	7	2	1	2	12
11 - Prosecution prevented: suspect under age		2		1	3
12 - Prosecution prevented: suspect too ill	4	1	1	1	7

13 - Prosecution prevented: victim/key witness dead/too ill	7	3	1	2	13
14 - Evidential difficulties: suspect not identified; victim does not support further action	54	62	99	178	393
15 - Evidential difficulties: suspect identified; victim supports action	107	134	110	190	541
16 - Evidential difficulties: suspect identified; victim does not support further action	169	253	205	282	909
17 - Prosecution time limit expired	1				1
18 - Investigation complete: no suspect identified	2103	2127	1592	1543	7365
20 - Action undertaken by another body/agency	4	1	2	2	9
21 - Further investigation to support formal action not in the public interest	64	95	72	23	254
22 - Diversionary		2	1	3	6
3 - Adult Caution	10	8	7	9	34
4 - Taken into consideration	4	2			6
8 - Community Resolution	34	21	20	12	87
9 - Not in public interest (CPS)	1				1
Unknown	1	1	3	2	7
Twoc conveyance not m/v ,cycle					
14 - Evidential difficulties: suspect not identified; victim does not support further action				1	1
16 - Evidential difficulties: suspect identified; victim does not support further action	1			2	3
18 - Investigation complete: no suspect identified				1	1
22 - Diversionary		1			1
Twoc pedal cycle					
1 - Charged/Summons		1			1
16 - Evidential difficulties: suspect identified; victim does not support further action	3		1		4
18 - Investigation complete: no suspect identified	1				1
Total	4034	4055	3093	3015	14197

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

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Yours sincerely,

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