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Dear

Gloucestershire Constabulary Freedom of Information request FOI_24_1145

On 27/12/2024 you sent an email constituting a request under the Freedom of Information Act asking the following:

Request 1

In relation to sexual crimes (rape, sexual assault, assault by penetration), please confirm for the years 2022 and 2023 the number of individuals with Pakistan nationality that were charged with such crimes.

Request 2

In relation to sexual crimes (rape, sexual assault, assault by penetration), please confirm for the years 2022 and 2023 the number of individuals with Afghanistan nationality that were charged with such crimes.

On 13/01/2025 clarification was sought.

We confirm we were unable to provide nationalities however we could give self-defined ethnicities, where provided. We also asked you to confirm the offences you were interested in.

You confirmed you were happy with the self-defined ethnicities and you would like a search of the offences of:

19c, 19d, 19e, 20a, 20b.

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 our Crime Recording system for all substantiated crimes recorded between 01/01/2022 and 31/12/2023 for the offences requested above. This has been broken down by year and ethnicity.

2022

Ethnicity	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Any Other Asian Background									1			1	2
Any Other White Background	1		1	2							1	1	6
Arab								1					1
Bangladeshi		1											1
Black African			1						1				2
Black Caribbean								2		2			4
British	9	13	6	2	7	7	8	4	4	7	4	4	75
Indian											1		1
Mixed White / Black Caribbean								1	1				2
Not Stated - Called Away	1			1		1		3				1	7
Unknown		2	1	1		2	2	5	2		1	1	17
Total	11	16	9	6	7	10	10	16	9	9	7	8	118

2023

Ethnicity	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Total
Any Other Ethnic Group					2								2
Any Other White Background						1	1						2
Bangladeshi												1	1
Black African							2	1					3
Black Caribbean							1				1	1	3
British	10	3	6	5	4	6	6	4	3	9	2	5	63
Indian						1						1	2
Irish			1										1
Mixed White / Asian							1						1
Not Stated - Called Away			1			1		2	2		1		7
Unknown	3	1		1	1	2							8
Total	13	4	8	6	7	11	11	7	5	9	4	8	93

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 –

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Wycliffe House
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Wilmslow
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Yours sincerely,

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