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Dear

Gloucestershire Constabulary Freedom of Information request FOI_26_0631

On 03/07/2026 you sent an email constituting a request under the Freedom of Information Act asking the following:

Thank you for your email refusing Q1 under S12 although I note that Q2 has not been overlooked?

if you can supply the dataset codes on ethnicity the force uses, that would be greatly appreciated.

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

Please find the ethnicity codes used by Gloucestershire Constabulary below.

Code	
UNK	0. Unknown
WHT	1. White - North European
DWT	2. White - South European
BLK	3. Black
SAS	4. Asian
ORI	5. Chinese, Japanese, SE Asian
MES	6. Arabic or North African

Code	
A01	A1. Asian Indian including Asian British
A02	A2. Asian Pakistani including Asian British
A03	A3. Asian Bangladeshi including Asian British
O01	A4. Asian Chinese including Asian British
A09	A9. Any other Asian background
B01	B1. Black Caribbean including Black British
B02	B2. Black African including Black British
B09	B9. Any other Black background
M01	M1. Mixed White & Black Caribbean
M02	M2. Mixed White & Black African
M03	M3. Mixed White & Asian
M09	M9. Any other mixed
N03	NS. Not stated
A2H	O2. Arab
O09	O9. Any other
W01	W1. White British
W02	W2. White Irish
G02	W3. White Gypsy or Irish Traveller
W	W4. White Roma
W09	W9. Any other white background

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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