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Dear XXXXXX

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST – FOI 392/25

I refer to your request for information received by Cumbria Constabulary on 1 April 2025. I note you seek access to the following information:

In the 2024 calendar year how many juveniles (children aged 10-17 inclusive) did you arrest who had already been arrested at least 49 previous times by your force in their past?

For each individual please state:-

- (i) the total number of times they have been arrested by your force,*
- (ii) their age when first arrested,*
- (iii) their age when last arrested and*
- (iv) a breakdown of the offences for which they were arrested.*

Your request for information has now been considered and I can confirm Cumbria Constabulary does hold information relevant to your request and I have today decided to disclose this to you.

We have no juvenile offenders who have had 49 previous arrests.

The above information has been obtained following a search of custody system from information held.

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 this force's response to your questions should not be used for comparison purposes with any other response you may receive.

Whilst every care has been taken in the retrieval of the information provided, please do not hesitate to contact us for clarification, if you do have any issues or queries relating to this data.



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If you remain dissatisfied following conclusion of the internal review, you have the right, under section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act, to complain directly to the Information Commissioner.

The address for the Information Commissioner can be found below:

The Information Commissioner
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

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I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your interest in Cumbria Constabulary



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