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Dear

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST – FOI 30/25 DVPN data

I refer to your request for information received by Cumbria Constabulary on the 8th of January 2025. I note you seek access to the following information:

1. For the 2024 calendar year (1 Jan to 31 Dec)

a) The number of DVPNs (of all types, including high risk) received.

Of these (DVPNs of all types) please provide:

i) The number that could not be followed up because of NRPF (no recourse to public funds) status.

ii) The number that continued into DVPOs.

b) The number of high risk DVPNs received.

Of these (high risk DVPNs) please provide:

i) The number that could not be followed up because of NRPF (no recourse to public funds) status.

ii) The number that continued into DVPOs.

2. The same for the 2023 calendar year (1 Jan to 31 Dec)

a) The number of DVPNs (of all types, including high risk) received.

Of these (DVPNs of all types) please provide:

i) The number that could not be followed up because of NRPF (no recourse to public funds) status.

ii) The number that continued into DVPOs.

b) The number of high risk DVPNs received.

Of these (high risk DVPNs) please provide:

i) The number that could not be followed up because of NRPF (no recourse to public funds) status.

ii) The number that continued into DVPOs.

3. The same for the 2022 calendar year (1 Jan to 31 Dec)

a) The number of DVPNs (of all types, including high risk) received.

Of these (DVPNs of all types) please provide:

i) The number that could not be followed up because of NRPF (no recourse to public funds) status.

ii) The number that continued into DVPOs.

b) The number of high risk DVPNs received.

Of these (high risk DVPNs) please provide:

i) The number that could not be followed up because of NRPF (no recourse to public funds) status.

ii) The number that continued into DVPOs.



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

The information in response to your request has been provided by the Constabulary's Legal Services Department.

Question 1-

Number of DVPNs received in 2024 – 78

Number that could not be followed up because of NRPF status – No information held.

Number that continued into DVPO's – 69

Number of high risk DVPNs received – Cumbria Constabulary do not categorise DVPN's.

Number that could not be followed up because of NRPF status – No information held.

Number that continued into DVPOs – Cumbria Constabulary do not categorise DVPO's.

Question 2-

Number of DVPNs received in 2023 – 57

Number that could not be followed up because of NRPF status – No information held.

Number that continued into DVPO's – 50

Number of high risk DVPNs received – Cumbria Constabulary do not categorise DVPN's.

Number that could not be followed up because of NRPF status – No information held.

Number that continued into DVPOs – Cumbria Constabulary do not categorise DVPO's.

Question 3-

Number of DVPNs received in 2022 – 65

Number that could not be followed up because of NRPF status – No information held.

Number that continued into DVPO's – 61

Number of high risk DVPNs received – Cumbria Constabulary do not categorise DVPN's.

Number that could not be followed up because of NRPF status – No information held.

Number that continued into DVPOs – Cumbria Constabulary do not categorise DVPO's.

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.

Complaint Rights

If you believe your request has not been properly handled, or you are otherwise dissatisfied with the outcome of your request, you have the right to request an internal review.

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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.

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



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