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## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST



**Request Number:** F-2009-02518

**Keyword:** Crime

**Subject:** PERSONS ARRESTED OVER 70 YEARS OF AGE

### Request and Answer:

#### Question 1

Please can you provide details of all people arrested for offences in the last two years who are over the age of 70.

#### Answer

Please find attached information below.

#### Question 2

Please could you provide the details of the alleged offence, the sex of the suspect, the precise age of the suspect and, if possible, the outcome of the investigation.

#### Answer

Please find attached information below.

With regard to outcomes of any investigations - in all cases the decision on whether or not to prosecute any individual is made by the Public Prosecution Service.

#### Question 3

I would like this information for each of the last two years; for five years ago; and for ten years ago.

#### Answer

Please see below in relation to people over 70 arrested 5 years ago. With regard to information requested for ten years ago this is not held.

If you have any queries regarding your request or the decision please do not hesitate to contact me on 028 9070 0164. When contacting the Freedom of Information Team, please quote the reference number listed at the beginning of this email.

If you are dissatisfied in any way with the handling of your request, you have the right to request a review. You should do this as soon as possible or in any case within two months of the date of issue of this letter. In the event that you require a review to be undertaken, you can do so by writing to the Head of Freedom of Information, PSNI Headquarters, 65 Knock Road, Belfast, BT5 6LE or by emailing [FOI@psni.pnn.police.uk](mailto:FOI@psni.pnn.police.uk)

If following an internal review, carried out by an independent decision maker, you were to remain dissatisfied in any way with the handling of the request you may make a complaint, under Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act, to the Information Commissioner's Office and ask that they investigate whether the PSNI has complied with the terms of the Freedom of Information Act. You can write to the Information Commissioner at Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. In most circumstances the Information Commissioner will not investigate a complaint unless an internal review procedure has been carried out, however the Commissioner has the

option to investigate the matter at his discretion.

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Personal details in respect of your request have, where applicable, been removed to protect confidentiality.

gender	age_on_date_of_arrest	reason_for_arrest
Male	70	ATTEMPTED FRAUD BY FALSE REPRESENTATION
Male	70	COMMON ASSAULT (HYBRID)
Male	70	AGGRAVATED ASSAULT ON A FEMALE OR BOY UNDER 14 YEARS
Male	70	AGGRAVATED ASSAULT ON A FEMALE OR BOY UNDER 14 YEARS
Male	70	WOUNDING
Male	70	RAPE
Male	70	GROSS INDECENCY WITH A MALE UNDER 18 YEARS (DEF. 18 YEARS OR OVER)
Male	70	INDECENT ASSAULT ON FEMALE CHILD
Male	70	INDECENT ASSAULT ON FEMALE CHILD
Male	70	SEX OFFENDER FAILING TO REGISTER WITH POLICE
Male	70	DISORDERLY BEHAVIOUR
Male	70	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
Male	70	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
Male	70	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
Male	70	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
Male	70	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BREATH
Male	70	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BREATH
Male	70	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BREATH
Female	70	FAILING TO PROVIDE SPECIMEN OF BREATH FOR PRELIMINARY TEST
Male	70	DANGEROUS DRIVING
Male	71	Detained on Bench Warrant
Male	71	THEFT
Male	71	THEFT - SHOPLIFTING
Male	71	THEFT - SHOPLIFTING
Male	71	THEFT - SHOPLIFTING
Male	71	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
Male	71	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
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Male	71	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BREATH
Male	71	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BREATH
Male	71	IN CHARGE WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BREATH
Male	72	ASSAULT OCCASIONING ACTUAL BODILY HARM
Male	72	INDECENT ASSAULT ON FEMALE

Male	72	INDECENT ASSAULT ON MALE CHILD
Male	72	THEFT
Male	72	THEFT - SHOPLIFTING
Male	72	THEFT - SHOPLIFTING
Male	72	HARASSMENT
Male	72	BREACH OF NON-MOLESTATION ORDER
Male	72	BREACH OF ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR ORDER
Male	72	BREACH OF ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR ORDER
Male	72	BREACH OF ANTI-SOCIAL BEHAVIOUR ORDER
Female	72	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
Male	72	IN CHARGE WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
Male	72	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BREATH
Male	73	AGGRAVATED ASSAULT ON A FEMALE OR BOY UNDER 14 YEARS
Male	73	COMMON ASSAULT (VICTIM NOT FEMALE OR BOY UNDER 14)
Male	73	CRIMINAL DAMAGE
Male	73	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
Male	73	FAILING TO PROVIDE SPECIMEN OF BREATH FOR PRELIMINARY TEST
Male	73	CRUELTY TO ANIMALS
Male	74	Detained on Bench Warrant
Male	74	ASSAULT OCCASIONING ACTUAL BODILY HARM
Male	74	COMMON ASSAULT (VICTIM NOT FEMALE OR BOY UNDER 14)
Male	74	THREATS TO KILL
Male	74	THREATS TO KILL
Male	74	INDECENT ASSAULT ON FEMALE CHILD
Male	74	CRIMINAL DAMAGE
Male	74	CRIMINAL DAMAGE
Male	74	CRIMINAL DAMAGE
Male	74	HARASSMENT
Male	74	POSSESSION OF FIREARM WITH INTENT TO CAUSE FEAR OF VIOLENCE
Male	74	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
Male	74	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BREATH
Male	74	FAILING TO PROVIDE SPECIMEN OF BREATH FOR PRELIMINARY TEST
Male	75	COMMON ASSAULT (HYBRID)
Male	75	AGGRAVATED ASSAULT ON A FEMALE OR BOY UNDER 14 YEARS
Female	75	THEFT - SHOPLIFTING
Female	75	THEFT - SHOPLIFTING

Male	75	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
Male	75	FAILING TO PROVIDE SPECIMEN OF BREATH FOR PRELIMINARY TEST
Male	75	CAUSING GRIEVOUS BODILY INJURY BY DANGEROUS DRIVING
Male	76	AGGRAVATED ASSAULT ON A FEMALE OR BOY UNDER 14 YEARS
Male	76	THREATS TO KILL
Male	76	GROSS INDECENCY WITH CHILD
Male	76	INDECENT ASSAULT ON FEMALE CHILD
Male	76	INDECENT ASSAULT ON MALE CHILD
Male	76	INDECENT EXPOSURE W/I TO INSULT A FEMALE
Male	76	THEFT - SHOPLIFTING
Female	76	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BREATH
Male	77	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
Female	77	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BREATH
Male	78	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
Male	78	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BREATH
Female	79	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BREATH
Male	79	DRIVING WHILE DISQUALIFIED
Male	79	DRIVING WHILE DISQUALIFIED - DISQUALIFIED ON OR AFTER 1 OCTOBER 1997
Male	80	THEFT OF VEHICLE
Female	81	MURDER
Female	81	THEFT - SHOPLIFTING
Male	81	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BREATH
Male	82	FAILING TO PROVIDE SPECIMEN OF BREATH FOR PRELIMINARY TEST
Male	84	MURDER
Female	84	THEFT - SHOPLIFTING
Male	84	FAILING TO PROVIDE SPECIMEN OF BREATH FOR PRELIMINARY TEST
Male	86	ATTEMPTED MURDER
Male	86	INDECENT ASSAULT ON FEMALE
Male	90	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BLOOD

Date of arrest	Age	Gender	Offence
02/01/2004	77	F	CAUSING A BREACH OF THE PEACE (COMMON LAW)
04/01/2004	75	F	THEFT - SHOPLIFTING
09/01/2004	84	M	POSSESSING OFFENSIVE WEAPON IN PUBLIC PLACE
23/01/2004	79	M	THEFT - SHOPLIFTING
29/01/2004	73	M	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
31/01/2004	77	F	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
07/02/2004	73	M	IN CHARGE WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BLOOD
11/02/2004	71	M	OBTAINING PROPERTY BY DECEPTION
13/02/2004	76	M	FAIL TO PROVIDE SPECIMEN WHEN DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL
13/03/2004	75	M	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
17/03/2004	74	F	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
21/03/2004	75	M	FAILING TO PROVIDE SPECIMEN OF BREATH FOR PRELIMINARY TEST
21/03/2004	73	M	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BREATH
23/03/2004	70	M	INDECENT ASSAULT ON MALE
26/03/2004	76	M	THEFT - SHOPLIFTING
02/04/2004	73	M	ASSAULT OCCASIONING ACTUAL BODILY HARM
05/04/2004	73	M	RAPE
27/04/2004	73	M	INDECENT ASSAULT ON FEMALE
10/05/2004	74	M	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
11/05/2004	78	M	INDECENT EXPOSURE
16/05/2004	76	M	FAILING TO PROVIDE SPECIMEN WHEN DRIVING UNFIT
19/05/2004	78	M *	INDECENT EXPOSURE
19/05/2004	78	M *	INDECENT ASSAULT ON FEMALE CHILD
21/05/2004	90	M	THREATS TO HARM
03/06/2004	70	M	DRIVING WITHOUT DUE CARE AND ATTENTION
06/06/2004	76	M	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
06/06/2004	73	M	INDECENT ASSAULT ON FEMALE CHILD
07/06/2004	88	M	DRIVING WITHOUT DUE CARE AND ATTENTION
17/06/2004	73	M	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
19/06/2004	75	M	ASSAULT OCCASIONING ACTUAL BODILY HARM
28/06/2004	71	F	THEFT - SHOPLIFTING
14/07/2004	71	M *	COMMON ASSAULT
14/07/2004	71	M *	POSSESSING OFFENSIVE WEAPON IN PUBLIC PLACE
16/07/2004	73	F	THEFT - SHOPLIFTING
21/07/2004	71	M	FAILING TO PROVIDE SPECIMEN OF BREATH FOR PRELIMINARY TEST

27/07/2004	72	M	DISORDERLY BEHAVIOUR
30/07/2004	71	M	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BREATH
11/08/2004	73	M	DRIVING WHILE DISQUALIFIED
13/08/2004	73	M	DRIVING WITHOUT DUE CARE AND ATTENTION
16/08/2004	78	M *	RAPE
16/08/2004	78	M *	INDECENT ASSAULT ON FEMALE CHILD
17/08/2004	71	M	INDECENT ASSAULT ON FEMALE
01/09/2004	72	M	DISORDERLY BEHAVIOUR
04/09/2004	71	M	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
05/09/2004	72	M	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BREATH
07/09/2004	77	F	POSSESSING ARTICLE WITH BLADE OR POINT IN PUBLIC PLACE
12/09/2004	76	M	DANGEROUS DRIVING
20/09/2004	76	M *	WARRANT
20/09/2004	76	M *	ATTEMPTED OBSTRUCTING POLICE
20/09/2004	76	M *	WARRANT
27/09/2004	76	M	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BREATH
27/09/2004	73	M	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BLOOD
02/10/2004	71	M	THEFT - SHOPLIFTING
09/10/2004	72	F	THEFT - SHOPLIFTING
14/10/2004	72	M	ATTEMPTED RAPE
17/10/2004	76	M	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BREATH
22/10/2004	74	M	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BREATH
02/11/2004	72	F	THEFT - SHOPLIFTING
08/11/2004	74	M	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
16/11/2004	74	M	CAUSING DEATH BY DANGEROUS DRIVING
24/11/2004	80	F	THEFT - SHOPLIFTING
28/11/2004	70	M	DRIVING WHEN UNFIT THROUGH DRINK OR DRUGS
30/11/2004	71	M	NON PAYMENT OF WARRANT
06/12/2004	81	M	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BLOOD
13/12/2004	70	F	THEFT - SHOPLIFTING
13/12/2004	76	M	SIMPLE DRUNK
14/12/2004	71	M	ASSAULT OCCASIONING ACTUAL BODILY HARM
21/12/2004	73	M	SIMPLE DRUNK
22/12/2004	87	F	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BLOOD
25/12/2004	70	M	FAIL TO PROVIDE SPECIMEN WHEN IN CHARGE WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL
27/12/2004	78	M	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BREATH

28/12/2004	73	M	CRIMINAL DAMAGE
28/12/2004	73	M	CRIMINAL DAMAGE ENDANGERING LIFE
28/12/2004	74	M	DRIVING WITH EXCESS ALCOHOL IN BLOOD
			* indicates multiple arrests for that person on that day.