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## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST



**Request Number:** F-2009-03682

**Keyword:** Road Policing

**Subject:** SPEEDING IN NEWRY AND MOURNE AREA

### Request and Answer:

#### Question 1

Would it be possible to forward statistics on the main road areas where drivers are prosecuted for speeding in the Newry and Mourne area.

(The Newry area would suffice.)

If this is not possible could statistics be shown for the A1 Newry to Loughbrickland Motorway.

(Any advice from PSNI on temporary speed limits can be added)

Figures for either the last 12 months or six months would be enough.

#### Answer

1,197 drivers in the Newry and Mourne Area were detected for Speeding between 1 January 2009 and 30 June 2009. These detections took the form of either the issue of a Fixed Penalty Notice or the issue of a Notice of Intended Prosecution. The figures do not include how many of these drivers availed of the offers stated.

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