



## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST



**Request Number:** F-2011-04262

**Keyword:** Crime

**Subject:** PSNI Call Outs to Riverview Court, Huntley Rd, Banbridge

### Request and Answer:

This is to inform you that the Police Service of Northern Ireland has now completed its search for the information you requested. The decision has been taken to disclose the located information to you in full.

#### Question 1

Could I request the number of times the PSNI have been called out to or visited on police business the development of Riverview Court, Huntley Road, Banbridge over the last two years?

#### Answer

Over the last two years Police have attended incidents in Riverview Court, Huntley Road, Banbridge 34 times.

#### Question 2

If possible details of these encounters without of course compromising confidentiality as well. For example the drugs raid carried out.

#### Answer

Reasons for the call outs included the following;

Possession of an offensive weapon (knife) in public place

Report of concern for safety

Report of noise from rental properties

Report of vehicle left overnight in the area

Report of nuisance calls

2 x linked reports of yelling in street and youths causing annoyance

Report of youths who live in the area throwing stones

Neighbour dispute over children playing in street

Reports of noisy parties

Report of person striking fence with object

Suspicious activity

Request to speak with police over 'problems with neighbours'

Report of persons in premises without permission

Report of theft of item accidentally left outside overnight.

Please note: to provide details of all the incidents reported could lead to the identification of an individual or compromise an ongoing investigation.

### **Question 3**

Additionally I would appreciate any comments as to whether Riverview Court attracts an above average level of police activity.

### **Answer**

Currently the PSNI do not hold any recorded information in relation to whether Riverview Court attracts an above average level of police activity. This would require a baseline to be set and research to be carried out.

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 letter.

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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