



## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST



**Request Number:** F-2021-02776

**Keyword:** Road Policing

**Subject:** Road Traffic Collisions - Newry Junctions

### Request and Answer:

Your request for information has now been considered. In respect of Section 1(1)(a) of the Act we can confirm that the Police Service of Northern Ireland (PSNI) does hold information to which your request relates. The decision has been taken to disclose the following.

### Request

Can you please provide the number of traffic collisions which have taken place at the junction between Upper and Lower Catherine Street, and Upper and Lower Edward Street, in Newry in 2021 and also in 2020?

### Answer

Please see the response provided in the table below, the information included in this table is in regards to ‘**Damage-Only Collisions**’ and for 2021 is up to 13<sup>th</sup> December 2021.

Year	Location	Number of Damage Only Collisions
2020	Catherine Street	2
2021	Catherine Street	10
2020	Edward Street	2
2021	Edward Street	11

Please see in the table below the data for ‘**injury collisions**’ received by PSNI between the periods of 1<sup>st</sup> January 2020 – 30<sup>th</sup> June 2021, which is currently the latest available data. This related to the driver being slightly injured after a slight collision.

Fatal Collisions	Serious Collisions	Slight Collisions	All Collisions
0	0	1	1

Killed	Seriously Injured	Slightly Injured	All Casualties
0	0	1	1

Injuries/fatalities by Road User Type	
Pedestrian	0
Driver	1
Motorcyclist	0
Pedal Cyclist	0
Passenger	0
Pillion Passenger	0
Other	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>1</b>

**Please note, that these include collisions at or within 50 metres of the above junctions.**

**Due to ongoing validation, this information may be subject to change.**

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 Corporate Information Branch, 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 Corporate Information Branch, 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 remain dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you may make a complaint to the Information Commissioner's Office, under Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act, 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', or use the ICO self-service portal available at [www.ico.org.uk/make-a-complaint/officialinformation-concerns-report/official-information-concern/](http://www.ico.org.uk/make-a-complaint/officialinformation-concerns-report/official-information-concern/)

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 their discretion.

Please be advised that PSNI replies under Freedom of Information may be released into the public domain via our website @ [www.psni.police.uk](http://www.psni.police.uk)

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