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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST



Request Number: F-2021-03010

Keyword: Road Policing

Subject: Speeding Offences 2021

Request and Answer:

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

Clarification to Requester

Please provide a timeframe for this requested information.

Clarification from Requester

Please provide the data for 2021, so January until present.

Request 1

Total number of drivers caught speeding by speed cameras in your area.

Answer

There have been 42,066 detections by speed limit on speed cameras from 1st January to 31st October 2021.

Please note: These figures include detections made by the NI Road Safety Partnership. The figures do not include any PSNI detections. Figures are provisional and subject to change.

Request 2

Number of drivers caught speeding in 30mph zones

Answer

There have been 27,461 detections by speed limit in 30mph zones on speed cameras from 1st January to 31st October 2021.

Please note: These figures include detections made by the NI Road Safety Partnership. The figures do not include any PSNI detections. Figures are provisional and subject to change.

Request 3

Number of drivers caught speeding in 30mph zones, who were driving 33mph or slower

Answer

There have been zero detections by speed limit in 30mph zones, whereby the driver was driving at 33mph or slower.

PSNI do not enforce below the National Police Chiefs' Council threshold guidelines of 10% + 2mph.

Request 4

Number of drivers caught speeding in 40mph zones

Answer

There have been 7,350 detections by speed limit in 40mph zones on speed cameras from 1st January to 31st October 2021.

Please note: These figures include detections made by the NI Road Safety Partnership. The figures do not include any PSNI detections. Figures are provisional and subject to change.

Request 5

Number of drivers caught speeding in 40mph zones, who were driving 44mph or slower

Answer

There have been zero detections by speed limit in 40mph zones, whereby the driver was driving at 44mph or slower.

PSNI do not enforce below the National Police Chiefs' Council threshold guidelines of 10% + 2mph.

Request 6

Number of drivers caught speeding in 50mph zones

Answer

There have been 1,713 detections by speed limit in 50mph zones on speed cameras from 1st January to 31st October 2021.

Please note: These figures include detections made by the NI Road Safety Partnership. The figures do not include any PSNI detections. Figures are provisional and subject to change.

Request 7

Number of drivers caught speeding in 50mph zones, who were driving 55mph or slower

Answer

There have been zero detections by speed limit in 50mph zones, whereby the driver was driving at 55mph or slower.

PSNI do not enforce below the National Police Chiefs' Council threshold guidelines of 10% + 2mph.

Request 8

Number of drivers caught speeding in 60mph zones

Answer

There have been 4,726 detections by speed limit in 60mph zones on speed cameras from 1st January to 31st October 2021.

Please note: These figures include detections made by the NI Road Safety Partnership. The figures do not include any PSNI detections. Figures are provisional and subject to change.

Request 9

Number of drivers caught speeding in 60mph zones, who were driving 66mph or slower

Answer

There have been zero detections by speed limit in 60mph zones, whereby the driver was driving at 66mph or slower.

PSNI do not enforce below the National Police Chiefs' Council threshold guidelines of 10% + 2mph.

Request 10

Number of drivers caught speeding in 70mph zones

Answer

There have been 772 detections by speed limit in 70mph zones on speed cameras from 1st January to 31st October 2021.

Please note: These figures include detections made by the NI Road Safety Partnership. The figures do not include any PSNI detections. Figures are provisional and subject to change.

Request 11

Number of drivers caught speeding in 70mph zones, who were driving 77mph or slower.

Answer

There have been zero detections by speed limit in 70mph zones, whereby the driver was driving at 77mph or slower.

PSNI do not enforce below the National Police Chiefs' Council threshold guidelines of 10% + 2mph.

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.

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