



## FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST



**Request Number:** F-2022-02026

**Keyword:** Policing Themes, Operations and Investigations Events and Public Order

**Subject:** Offences Carried Out On 12<sup>th</sup> July 2022

### 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 does hold information to which your request relates. The decision has been taken to disclose the following.

#### Request 1

On 12th July 2022, between, Lower Lisburn Road, University Road to Bradbury Place, Shaftesbury Square, Lower Donegall Road to Donegall Pass and Botanic Avenue: How many arrest were made, for any reason (if any can you please break these down)?

#### Answer

4 arrests were made. 2 for assault, 1 for disorderly behaviour and 1 for assault on police & disorderly behaviour.

#### Request 2

How many fines were issued for littering?

#### Request 3

How many fines were issued for drinking alcohol in public?

#### Request 4

How much did it cost to clean up the rubbish from the littering?

#### Answer to Requests 2-4

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 not hold information in relation to your requests. Enquiries made in relation to your request failed to locate any records or documents relevant to your request based on the information you have provided.

Accordingly, I have determined that the Police Service of Northern Ireland does not hold the information to which you seek access.

PSNI can advise that Belfast City Council should hold the information you seek.

## **Request 5**

Was there any parking fines issued?

### **Answer**

The Department for Infrastructure (DfI) is responsible for the enforcement of most parking restrictions in Northern Ireland. However PSNI continue to enforce certain parking offences such as dangerous or obstructive parking. A search of the PSNI fixed penalty notices database indicates that there were no detections for these specific parking offences in the area of Lower Lisburn Road, University Road to Bradbury Place, Shaftesbury Square, Lower Donegall Road to Donegall Pass and and Botanic Avenue on 12<sup>th</sup> July 2022.

Please note that this data is provisional and subject to amendment.

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.

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