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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

OF INFORMATION

Request Number: FOI-2023-02010

Keyword: Crime/Incident Statistics Other and Multiple Crime/Incident types

Subject: 101 & 999 Calls RE Bangor

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 1

Could we please request statistics on the number of 101 and 999 calls relating to incidents in Ballyholme Beach Park and Garden Car Park / Banks Lane area in Bangor, primarily calls around reports on anti-social behaviour, dangerous driving and noise.

Request 2

Please could we request for the past four years; most recent data for 2023 would be appreciated if possible:

- 2022 2023
- 2021 2022
- 2020 2021
- 2019 2020

Clarification Received From Requester:

Just to confirm; request is in relation to 101 and 999 calls made in relation to noise and anti-social behaviour at Ballyholme Beach Carpark and Banks Lane area of Bangor.

Answers 1-2

Please see information requested in the table below.

	Anti-Social Behaviour	Dangerous Driving	Noise
2022 - 2023	14	1	6
2021 - 2022	6	0	1
2020 - 2021	6	0	3
2019 - 2020	2	0	1

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 Corporate Information Manager, Corporate Information Branch, PSNI Headquarters, 65 Knock Road, Belfast, BT5 6LE or by emailing foi@psni.police.uk.

If, following an Internal Review carried out by an independent decision maker, you remain unhappy about how your request has been handled you have the right to apply in writing to the Information Commissioner, under Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act, at 'Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. There are a number of other platforms you can use to contact the ICO and these can be found on the ICO's website at the following link: <u>Make a complaint | ICO (https://ico.org.uk/make-a-complaint/</u>).

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