





Ref 1543/14

19 February 2014

Dear

Re: Request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)

Thank you for your request for information, which was received by the Nottinghamshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner on 17 February 2014.

INFORMATION REQUESTED

The information we are requesting is:

- 1. How many adult homicides (aged 16 plus) have occurred in each of your force command areas annually from 2009-2013?
- 2. Of these homicides how many of the victims have been female?
- 3. Of the homicides where the victim was a male in how many was the cause of death recorded as an act of strangulation (including asphyxiation or suffocation)?
- 4. Of the female homicides in how many was the cause of death recorded as an act of strangulation (including <u>asphyxiation</u>; <u>suffocation</u>)?
- 5. Of the female homicides how many were killed by a male perpetrator who was known to them?
- 6. Of the female homicides how many of the male perpetrators were partners or expartners?
- 7. Please tell us how any domestic violence MARACs take place in your force area, the area each MARAC covers, and when it became operational?
- 8. Of the female homicides where the victim was killed by a male perpetrator known to them how many of these cases were referred to a domestic violence MARAC?

9. In how many of the homicide cases that were referred to a domestic violence MARAC, prior to homicide, was strangulation a feature in the risk assessment process? i.e. how many of the victims had disclosed they had been strangled to the agency professional conducting the risk assessment?

RESPONSE

Under S 1 (1) (a) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA), I can confirm that the Nottinghamshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner does not hold the information you have requested, however this information may be held by Nottinghamshire Police.

If you would like to forward your request onto Nottinghamshire Police, their contact details are provided below. If you would prefer for us to forward your request onto Nottinghamshire Police, please confirm this in writing.

The contact details for Nottinghamshire Police are:

Nottinghamshire Police Freedom of Information Sherwood Lodge Arnold Nottingham NG5 8PP

E-mail Freedomofinformation@nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk

I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your interest in the Nottinghamshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner.

Should you have any further enquiries concerning this matter, please write or contact the Freedom of Information Officer on telephone number 101 Ext 801 2008 or e-mail nopcc@nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk.

Yours sincerely

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