



Freedom of Information
Information Compliance Office (FIB)
Rugby Police Station
Newbold Road
Rugby
Warwickshire CV21 2DH

Telephone: 01788 853864
Fax No: 01788 853781
Email:
Freedom.information@warwickshire.pnn.police.uk

foi.police@openworldnews.com

Mr G Basnett

22 April 2013

Dear Mr Basnett

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST REFERENCE NO: FOI-2013-00156

I write in connection with your request for information dated 21 March 2013, received by Warwickshire Police on the same day, in which you seek access to the following information:

On how many occasions in 2012 was a Taser deployed against a person under the age of 20. Please provide a breakdown of both the ages of the individuals as well as the method of Taser deployment (for example, but not limited to, drive-stun mode, firings and incidents where the Taser was drawn and aimed, etc).

This is not exhaustive (eg. if there was a 9-year-old involved in an incident with a Taser please include that information, or if there is another method of deployment please include that information in the table.)

Please also provide a summary for each incident.

Please could you also provide:

The same for 2011.

The same for 2010.

Following receipt of your request searches were conducted within Warwickshire Police to locate information relevant to your request. I can confirm that the information is held and our response is set out on the attached sheet.

Appeal Rights

Your attention is drawn to the attached sheet, which details your right of appeal.

www.warwickshire.police.uk

Twitter: @warkspolice



Should you have any further enquiries concerning this matter, please do not hesitate to contact this office.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Rachel Mumford', followed by a small dot.

Rachel Mumford
Information Compliance



Protecting our communities together

WARWICKSHIRE POLICE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION APPEALS PROCEDURE

This appeals procedure is issued in accordance with paragraph 36 of the Lord Chancellor's Freedom of Information Access Code of Practice.

Appeal Notification

When a Freedom of Information (FOI) applicant, who has made a request for information, is dissatisfied with the response received from Warwickshire Police, the FOI applicant should inform Warwickshire Police in writing (this may be by email) of the reasons why the response is deemed unsatisfactory.

Should a person who feels that Warwickshire Police is not complying with its Publication Scheme, the person should inform Warwickshire Police in writing (this may be by email) of the reasons for their dissatisfaction.

Action by Warwickshire Police

When a dissatisfaction report is received, the circumstances of the dispute will be reviewed initially by the Decision Makers in the Freedom of Information Office.

If the Decision Makers are unable to resolve the dispute with the FOI applicant, the dispute will be referred to a Board comprising a Head of Department and a Chief Officer. The Board will not have been involved in the original decision making process to compile the response.

The Board will consider the dispute and will advise the FOI applicant of their decision as soon as practicable, but within 20 working days.

Further Action by FOI Applicant

If the FOI applicant remains dissatisfied with the Warwickshire Police response, they then have the option to refer the case to the Information Commissioner.