



FOI Reference: 415/2013

Request:

I am writing to make a request under the Freedom of Information Act for information on the deployment of Tasers against animals.

More specifically I am requesting the following:

1 a) On how many occasions in 2013 (up until today's date 2 July 2013) was a Taser deployed against an animal. Please provide the species of animal as well as how the Taser was deployed (i.e. drive-stun mode, firings and incidents where the taser was drawn and aimed.)

b) Please also provide a summary for each incident.

Please could you also provide:

2) The same for 2012

3) The same for 2011

4) The same for 2010

Response 1a & b:

I can confirm that there is no information held by Dyfed-Powys Police as no taser has been deployed against an animal in the year 2013 up to the 02 July 2013

Response 2a & b:

I can confirm that that Dyfed-Powys Police does hold the information requested for the year 2012 the details of which are as follows:

Two (2) tasers deployed and fired on one (1) occasion against a Rottweiler dog.

Response 3a & b:

I can confirm that there is no information held by Dyfed-Powys Police as no taser has been deployed against an animal in the year 2011.

Response 4a & b:

I can confirm that that Dyfed-Powys Police does hold the information requested for the year 2010 the details of which are as follows:

One (1) taser deployed and fired on one (1) occasion against a Border Collie dog.