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## **FREEDOM OF INFORMATION (SCOTLAND) ACT 2002**

I refer to your recent request for information which has been handled in accordance with the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002.

For ease of reference, your request is replicated below together with the response.

**Each of my questions refers to Part 1 of the Anti-Social Behaviour Crime and Policing Act 2014 which introduced a civil Anti-Social Behaviour injunction Order.**

- 1. For each year, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022 (Jan to end of March), how many times did the police force apply for an Antisocial Behaviour Injunction Order?**
- 2. If possible - for each year, please provide a breakdown of a.) gender, b.) whether adult or youth, c.) ethnicity of those for whom ASBIs were sought.**
- 3. For each year (as above), how many times was an Antisocial Behaviour Order granted?**
- 4. Again, If possible - for each year, please provide a breakdown of a.) gender, b.) whether adult or youth, c.) ethnicity of those for whom ASBIs were granted.**
- 5. For each year, 2016, 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021 and 2022 (Jan to end of March), how many times did the police force apply for a committal to prison for a breach of an Antisocial Behaviour Injunction?**
- 6. For each year, please provide a breakdown of a.) gender, b.) whether adult or youth, c.) ethnicity of those for whom a committal to court was applied for, due to breach of an ASBI.**
- 7. How much was spent by the police force in court costs (applications, legal fees, etc) for Antisocial Behaviour Injunctions in each year: 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021 and (Jan to end of March)**

In response to your request, I can advise you that parts one to six of the Anti-Social Behaviour Crime and Policing Act 2014 relate to England and Wales only and do not extend to Scotland.

As such, in terms of section 17 of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002, this represents a notice that the information you seek is not held by Police Scotland.

Should you require any further assistance please contact Information Management - Dundee on [foidundee@scotland.police.uk](mailto:foidundee@scotland.police.uk) quoting the reference number given.

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If you are dissatisfied with the way in which Police Scotland has dealt with your request, you are entitled, in the first instance, to request a review of our actions and decisions.

Your request must specify the matter which gives rise to your dissatisfaction and it must be submitted within 40 working days of receiving this response - either by email to [foi@scotland.police.uk](mailto:foi@scotland.police.uk) or by post to Information Management (Disclosure), Police Scotland, Clyde Gateway, 2 French Street, Dalmarnock, G40 4EH.

If you remain dissatisfied following the outcome of that review, you are thereafter entitled to apply to the Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner within six months for a decision. You can apply [online](#), by email to [enquiries@itspublicknowledge.info](mailto:enquiries@itspublicknowledge.info) or by post to Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner, Kinburn Castle, Doubledykes Road, St Andrews, Fife, KY16 9DS.

Should you wish to appeal against the Office of the Scottish Information Commissioner's decision, there is an appeal to the Court of Session on a point of law only.

As part of our commitment to demonstrate openness and transparency in respect of the information we hold, an anonymised version of this response will be posted to the Police Scotland Freedom of Information [Disclosure Log](#) in seven days' time.

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