

25 July 2025

FOI Ref 21611

Request - You asked us the following:

Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, I am requesting the following data for the calendar years 2019 to 2024.

1. Speeding Offences and Fines

Please provide the following for each year between 2019 and 2024:

- a) The number of speeding offences your force recorded (e.g., fixed and mobile camera-detected and officer-issued offences under Section 89 of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984).
- b) The total value of Fixed Penalty Notices (FPNs) issued or paid, if held. (If payment data is not held, the number of FPNs issued alone is sufficient.)
- c) If available:

- A breakdown of speeding offences by day of the week, and/or
- Time of day (e.g. by hourly bands or AM/PM).

Please provide whatever granularity is available; if only the date is held, that's still helpful.

2. Theft from Motor Vehicles – Wheels & Tyres Please provide the following for each year between 2019 and 2024:

- a) The number of "theft from a motor vehicle" offences where wheels and/or tyres were reported stolen. This includes full wheel assemblies, individual tyres, or alloy wheels.
- b) If available, a monthly breakdown of these offences.
- c) If held, provide details of the most commonly stolen parts/items reported in "theft from motor vehicle" offences (e.g., tyres, wheels, catalytic converters, etc.).

If wheel or tyre thefts are not separately coded, please advise whether keyword search of MO/descriptive fields is possible, or provide the nearest equivalent data.

If your force uses different offence codes or terminology, please respond using the closest equivalent data available.

If fulfilling the full request would exceed the cost/time limit under Section 12, please prioritise:

- Total annual speeding offence counts
- Number of tyre/wheel thefts
- Total value of speeding fines (if held)

We received your request on 22/07/2025 and have processed this under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA).

Staffordshire Police's response to your enquiry is as follows:

Staffordshire Police holds/does not hold the requested information.

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- b) The total value of Fixed Penalty Notices (FPNs) issued or paid, if held. (If payment data is not held, the number of FPNs issued alone is sufficient.) – **Partially disclosed, please see the accompanying file titled 'FOI 21611 Speeding and Theft Data.xlsx'. Please note that Staffordshire Police do not hold information relating to payment data, and that all Endorsable Notices issued by Staffordshire Police for speeding offences are Fixed Penalty Notices.**

c) If available:

- - A breakdown of speeding offences by day of the week, and/or – **Disclosed, please see the accompanying file titled 'FOI 21611 Speeding and Theft Data.xlsx'.**
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- c) If held, provide details of the most commonly stolen parts/items reported in "theft from motor vehicle" offences (e.g., tyres, wheels, catalytic converters, etc.). – **No information held.**

Please note that the data for question 2 was obtained by completing a summary search for the terms "wheel", "wheels", "tyre", "tyres", "alloy" and "alloys". The accuracy and reliability of these searches cannot be guaranteed as only the MO / summary field of the report is searched. If this term is mentioned elsewhere (i.e. within the call log, crime report, statements etc) these will not be returned in the results. Additionally, if the term is misspelt within the MO / summary field, this will not be returned. To provide accurate results would require manually interrogating each crime within the specified timeframe to establish its relevance to your request.

Please note that this data has been provided to the best of our ability, subject to the limitation of current recording protocols and systems/software. Additional offences/incidents may have been recorded during these timescales but are awaiting finalisation and input onto these systems and would not be present within this dataset.

Every effort is made to ensure that the data presented is accurate and complete. However, it is important to note that this has been extracted from multiple sources, developed for specific policing purposes, for which data extraction methods have not been specifically designed to directly correlate with the terminology of this request. Therefore, the data presented is subject to the inaccuracies and idiosyncrasies inherent in any large-scale recording system.

As a consequence, care should be taken in the interpretation and presentation of this data, so as to not misrepresent the whole or any part of the data disclosed.

Please be advised that all Freedom of Information request responses are published on the Staffordshire Police website although personal details are not included.

Freedom of Information Request Appeals Procedure

1. Who Can Ask for a Review

Any person who has requested information from Staffordshire Police, which has been dealt with under the Freedom of Information Act, is entitled to complain and request an internal review, if they are dissatisfied with the response they received.

2. How to Request a Review

Requests for review of a Freedom of Information request must be made in writing within two months of the date of receipt of this email, and should be addressed to:

foi@staffordshire.police.uk

Or by Post to:

Central Disclosure Unit
Staffordshire Police HQ
PO Box 3167
Stafford
ST16 9JZ

The reference number, date of the request and details of why the review is being requested must be included. Requests for review should be brought to the attention of the Central Disclosure Unit within two months of the Force's response to the original FOI request.

3. Review Procedure

Receipt of a request for review will be acknowledged in writing. The review will be conducted by another Decision Maker who is independent from the original Decision Maker. The Central Disclosure Unit will set a target date for a response. The response will be made as soon as is practicable with the intention to



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complete the review within 20 working days. In more complex cases the review may take up to 40 working days.

The independent Decision Maker will conduct a review of the handling of the request for information and of decisions taken, including decisions taken about where the public interest lies in respect of exempt information where applicable. The review enables a re-evaluation of the case, taking into account the matters raised by the complaint.

4. Conclusion of the Appeal

On completion of the review the Independent Decision maker will reply to the complainant with the result of the review. If the complainant is still dissatisfied following the review they should contact the Information Commissioner to make an appeal. The Information Commissioner can be contacted via the following details:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF

ICO Website for complaints link: <https://ico.org.uk/make-a-complaint/foi-and-eir-complaints/foi-and-eir-complaints/>

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