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Dear

Freedom of Information Request Reference N^o: FOI 002022/16

I write in connection with your request for information received by the Norfolk Constabulary on the 16th May 2016 in which you sought access to the following information:

I am writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act on Sexual Risk Orders (SRO) and Sexual Harm Prevention Orders (SHPO). The information provided will be used for policy and public campaigning on related issues.

- 1 In the period of time between 1 April 2015 to 31 March 2016 what was the total number of applications to magistrate courts for Sexual Risk Orders (SRO) under the Sexual Offences Act 2003:
 - (a) made by your police force and
 - (b) granted by Magistrate court(s)?

- 2 How many out of the total number of Sexual Risk Orders granted by magistrate courts in the period of time between 1 April 2015 to 31 March 2016 prohibit a person subject to SRO to contact or approach in any way:
 - (a) a named child under the age of 16
 - (b) a named child aged 16 or 17
 - (c) any children under the age of 16
 - (d) any children under the age of 18?

- 3 In the period of time between 1 April 2015 and 31 March 2016 what was the average number of calendar days needed to secure an SRO (measured from the date application was made to magistrate court to the date magistrate court made a decision to grant SRO)?

- 4 What is the total number of Sexual Harm Prevention Orders (SHPO) against individuals convicted of sexual offences issued in your police force area in the period of time between 1 April 2015 to 31 March 2016?

- 5 How many Sexual Harm Prevention Orders out of total issued in your police force in the period of time between 1 April 2015 to 31 March 2016 prohibit a person subject to this order to make contact with or approach:
 - (a) a child or children under the age of 16?
 - (b) a child or children under the age of 18?

Norfolk Constabulary holds information relevant to your request.

Response to your Request

Norfolk Constabulary has located the following information as relevant to your request.

Q1A During the period requested, the Constabulary has applied for 2 Sexual Risk Orders.

Q1B 2 applications have been granted.

Q2A 1 named a child under the age of 16.

Q2C 1 referred to any child under the age of 18.

Q3 An average figure is not held by the Constabulary and although we are not obliged to create the information, we have calculated an average of 35 days.

Q4 The total number of Sexual Harm Prevention Orders issued, during the period requested, is 92.

Q5A Of the above, 44 prohibit a person to make contact with or approach a child or children under the age of 16.

Q5B 6 prohibit a person to make contact with or approach a child or children under the age of 18.