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Dear

Freedom of Information Request Reference N^o: FOI 002261/16

I write in connection with your request for information received by the Norfolk Constabulary on the 9th June 2016 in which you sought access to the following information:

- 1 May I request information regarding the accident attended by police and ambulance.

The location of the incident was at the Junction of Home Farm Road and Loddon Road at approx 5:30pm on 7th June 2016.

Information on damage to vehicles, property and persons, and any pertinent conclusion such as if speed, intoxication or some kind of careless driving was the cause.

- 2 May I request all accidents reported involving vehicles, both injury and non injury for the last 5 years in BROOME.

Please include date, damage, injury and any prosecutions.

Norfolk Constabulary holds information relevant to your request.

Response to your Request

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

Q1 Please see incident details below:-

Location	BROOME PARK HOUSE, LODDON RD, BROOME, BUNGAY, NR352RL (MAP)
Grade	A(R) Emerg (20 Min)
Type	RTC - PERSONAL INJURY
Tags	-
Crime No's	-
Caller Name	AMB

Caller Phone		
Resources		
Received		08-Jun-2016 17:29
Date	Time	Comments
08-Jun-2016	17:27	RTC
08-Jun-2016	17:27	MOTOR BIKE VS VAN
08-Jun-2016	17:28	LODDON RD JW BROOME HOUSE LANE
08-Jun-2016	17:28	=
08-Jun-2016	17:28	MALE HAS GONE INTO THE SAME
08-Jun-2016	17:28	
08-Jun-2016	17:28	
08-Jun-2016	17:28	=
08-Jun-2016	17:28	RD PARTIALLY BLOCKED
08-Jun-2016	17:28	=
08-Jun-2016	22:12	SLILGHT INJ
08-Jun-2016	22:12	2 VEH
08-Jun-2016	22:12	
08-Jun-2016	22:12	
08-Jun-2016	22:12	RTC BOOKLET COMPLETED

We have not provided any further details of those persons involved as to do so would lead to their identification and would include their personal information. The exemption at section 40(2) of the Freedom of Information Act has been engaged.

- Section 40 – Personal Information

Section 40(2) – Whilst Section 40 is a class based absolute exemption and there is no requirement to consider the harm or public interest test there is a requirement under sub-section 40(2), if the information requested relates to third parties, to articulate why disclosure would breach the Data Protection Act principles. The exemption at section 40(2) is relevant is the release of the personal information would be a breach of any of the 8 principles of the Data Protection Act 1998.

Personal Data means data that relates to a living individual who can be identified from that data or from that data and other data that is in the possession of or likely to come into the possession of the data controller.

Principle 1 of the Data Protection Act states that Personal Data shall be processed fairly and lawfully.

The latest advice from the Information Commissioner, when applying the exemption at section 40(2), is to firstly consider fairness. Fairness relates to consideration of expectation and consequences in relation to the use of a person's personal data.

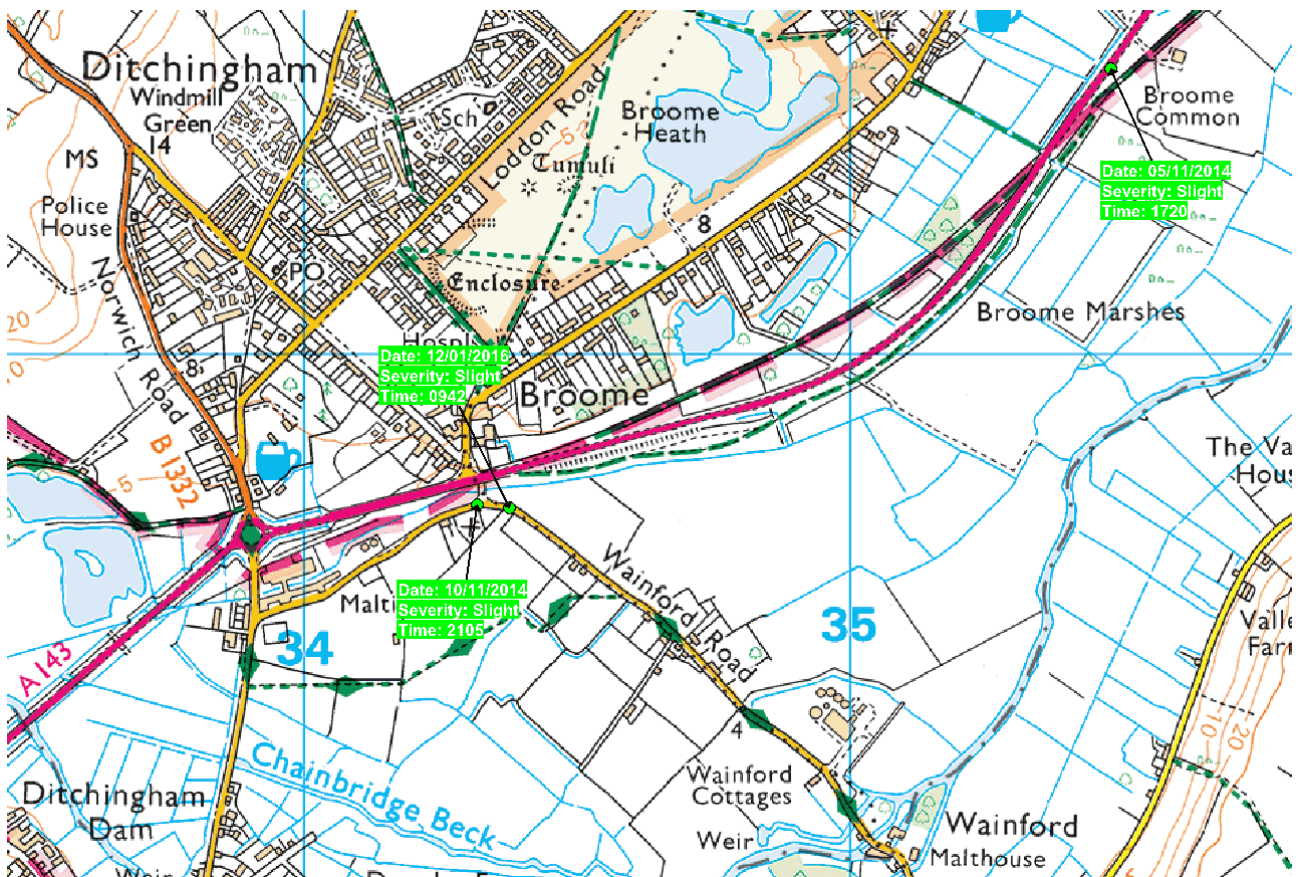
It is reasonable to assume that when a member of the public has contact with the Constabulary they would expect their details to be kept confidential and in accordance with the Data Protection Act, and that information would not be made publicly available by releasing details via the Freedom of Information process. Once released this information is published on the Norfolk Constabulary website and is therefore available to any internet user.

In this particular instance were we to provide further details recorded within the incident log of this collision, including vehicle registrations, individual's ages, etc it would be possible to identify who the information relates to. Additionally it would also provide further personal information, for example, medical information and whether the collision resulted in any police action against them. There would be an expectation that this information would be kept confidential and that the Constabulary release these details under the Freedom of Information Act.

Releasing the details of individuals involved in this collision, would not be fair and would be a breach of Principle 1.

This response serves as a refusal notice under Section 17(1) of the Freedom of Information Act by virtue of the application of the exemption 40(2) of the Act.

Q2 Please see map below which details 3 slight injury collisions during the period requested. There were no prosecutions in relation to these collisions.



In addition to the above, the Constabulary's Contact and Control Room has received the following calls regarding damage only collisions:-

Date_Time_Received	District Name	Opening Code
17/02/2010 18:09	BROOME	RR02 RTC - Damage Only
15/06/2010 21:05	BROOME	RR02 RTC - Damage Only
16/06/2010 19:00	BROOME	RR02 RTC - Damage Only
10/12/2011 11:44	BROOME	RR02 RTC - Damage Only

07/09/2012 20:55	BROOME	RR02 RTC - Damage Only
11/06/2014 21:17	BROOME	RR02 RTC - Damage Only
19/12/2015 00:46	BROOME	RR02 RTC - Damage Only