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Freedom of Information Request Reference N°: FOI 003979/17

I write in connection with your request for information received by the Norfolk Constabulary on the 2nd March 2017 in which you sought access to the following information:

- Q1 How many arrests of children aged 17 years and under were made by your police force in 2016?
- Q2 Please break the figures down by age (e.g. 17 years old – 105 arrests; 16 years old – 110 arrests; 15 years old – 74 arrests etc)
- Q3 Please break the figures down by gender (e.g. Male – 402 arrests; Female – 161 arrests)
- Q4 Please break the figures down by self-defined ethnicity (e.g. White British – 162 arrests; Asian-Pakistani – 27 arrests; Black African – 7 arrests; White and Black Caribbean– 12 arrests etc)

Norfolk Constabulary holds information relevant to your request.

Response to your Request

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

Research has been undertaken of custody records where the arrested person was aged under 17 or under at the time of arrest.

Q1

Age	Number Arrested
10	5
11	9
12	25
13	104
14	158
15	273
16	278
17	409
Grand Total	1261

Q2

Gender	Number Arrested
Female	271
Male	989
Not Recorded	1
Grand Total	1261

Q3

Ethnicity - Self Defined	Number Arrested
African	7
Any Other Asian Background	2
Any Other Black Background	11
Any Other Ethnic Group	3
Any Other Mixed Background	2
Any Other White Background	26
Caribbean	5
Chinese	2
Not Recorded	751
Not stated	7
White And Asian	3
White And Black African	5
White And Black Caribbean	3
White British	433
White Irish	1
Grand Total	1261