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Freedom of Information Request Reference N^o: FOI 005432/17

I write in connection with your request for information received by Norfolk Constabulary on the 26th June 2017 in which you sought access to the following information:

Under the Freedom of Information Act, please could you provide me with the following information the number of stop and searches conducted by the police force on people aged under 18 in each of the following years: 2009/10, 2010/11, 2011/12, 2012/13, 2013/14 and 2014/15.

If possible, please could you also provide a breakdown by the object of search and by outcome.

Response to your Request

The response provided below is correct as of 7th July 2017

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

Searches of Under 18s	2009/10	2010/11	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	Grand Total
Number of searches	3297	3585	3524	3068	2668	1878	18020

Search power	2009/10	2010/11	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	Grand Total
B - Stop and Search for Stolen Property (S1 PACE)	768	775	677	485	333	217	3255
C - Drugs (S23 Misuse of Drugs Act)	1119	1284	1351	1617	1526	1220	8117
D - Firearms (S47 Firearms Act)	35	53	52	19	17	24	200
E - Offensive Weapons (S1 PACE)	238	241	157	107	111	79	933
F - Offensive Weapons (S139-CJA, Schools)	48	22	70	18	22	16	196
G - Going Equipped (S1 PACE)	602	762	873	547	482	252	3518
H - Articles to cause Criminal Damage (S1 PACE)	413	378	277	234	159	59	1520
J - Other Power	51	70	63	38	17	11	250
Not completed on database	23	0	4	3	1	0	31
Grand Total	3297	3585	3524	3068	2668	1878	18020

Outcome description	2009/10	2010/11	2011/12	2012/13	2013/14	2014/15	Grand Total
No Further Action	1918	1940	2115	1861	1697	834	10365
Summons/Charged by post	0	0	0	0	0	5	5

Advised	653	787	783	671	566	360	3820
Caution (simple or conditional)	0	0	0	0	0	7	7
Khat or Cannabis Warning	0	0	0	0	0	1	1
Verbally Warned	273	388	259	223	118	72	1333
Arrested	182	237	142	108	111	82	862
Community Resolution	0	0	0	0	0	10	10
Other	246	230	222	197	174	90	1159
No Further Action	0	0	0	0	0	178	178
Part 4 S30 ASB Act	0	1	1	4	0	5	11
Not completed on database	25	2	2	4	2	234	269
Grand Total	3297	3585	3524	3068	2668	1878	18020