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Dear

**Request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)**

I write in connection with your request for information, which was received by Nottinghamshire Police on 22/09/2016.

Following receipt of your request searches were conducted within Nottinghamshire Police to locate the information you require.

**RESPONSE**

Under S 1 (1) (a) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA), I can confirm that Nottinghamshire Police does hold the information you have requested.

Please find below answers to your questions:-

***Please can you provide figures for over the past 3 years relating to the below offences recorded by your police force (2013, 2014 & 2015).***

***Please prioritise children's car seat offenses.***

***Carry child in rear-facing restraint in front seat w/o deactivated airbag***

***Child front - Failing to wear seat belt***

***Child rear - Failing to wear seat belt***

***Drive motor vehicle with child U. 3 yrs not wearing rear seat belt***

***Rear seat belt not fitted - child under 12 year and not 150 cm tall***

***Adult front passenger - Failing to wear seat belt***

***Adult rear passenger - Failing to wear seat belt***

***Driver - Failing to wear seat belt***



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The statistics for all seat belt offences, 2013-2015, are as follows:

CCCJS OFFENCE DESC	2013	2014	2015	Grand Total
Adult rear passenger in a motor vehicle fail to wear a seatbelt	68			68
Drive a motor vehicle not fitted with a rear seat belt on a road when child under 12 and not 150cm tall seated in rear	3	6	2	11
Drive a motor vehicle on a road with a child passenger seat in the rear aged 3 to 13 years not wearing a seat belt	37	91	47	175
Drive a motor vehicle on a road with a child passenger under 3 years seated in the rear not wearing a seat belt	11	22	24	57
Drive a motor vehicle on a road with a child under 14 years in front passenger seat not wearing a seat belt	15	44	40	99
Drive m/v rear seat belt not fitted - child U.12 and not 150 cm tall sat in rear	10			10
Drive motor vehicle with child U. 3 yrs not wearing rear seat belt	25			25
Drive on a road a motor vehicle whilst not wearing a seat belt	1653	4301	2782	8736
Drive vehicle with child U.14 not wearing seat belt in front seat	35			35
Drive with child over 3 yrs but under U 14 yrs not wearing rear seat belt	57			57
Driver of motor vehicle fail to wear a seat belt	3211			3211
Front seat passenger fail to wear seat belt in motor vehicle	355			355
Ride in a rear passenger seat in a motor vehicle on a road and fail to wear seat belt	35	133	82	250
Ride in the front passenger seat of a motor vehicle being driven on a road whilst not wearing a seat belt	212	556	450	1218
Use motor vehicle on a road without a seat belt fitted		1		1
Use veh anchorages etc for seat belt not maintained affect restraint in accident	1			1
Grand Total	5728	5154	3427	14309

### Complaints Rights

Your attention is drawn to the enclosed review procedure, which details your right of complaint.

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I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your interest in Nottinghamshire Police.

Should you have any further enquiries concerning this matter, please write or contact the Freedom of Information Officer on telephone number 0115 9672507 or e-mail [freedomofinformation@Nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:freedomofinformation@Nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk) quoting the above reference number.

Yours sincerely

**Disclosure Officer**

## **Are you dissatisfied with your response?**

Nottinghamshire Police has a duty to implement a complaints process in relation to Freedom of Information Act requests. If you are not content with our response, you may appeal, this process is known as an 'Internal Review'

Internal reviews are intended to be a fair and impartial means of reviewing the original request process.

You can appeal about your request if you:-

- Disagree with the Forces interpretation of your request;
- Believe the Force hold more information than has been disclosed to you;
- Disagree with the application of exemptions;

### **How do I appeal?**

All appeals should be made in writing and sent to:-

Information Management  
Nottinghamshire Police  
Force Headquarters  
Sherwood Lodge  
Arnold  
Notts  
NG5 8PP

or alternatively [freedomofinformation@nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk](mailto:freedomofinformation@nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk)

To deal with your appeal as quickly as possible please provide the unique identification number provided with your response and the reasons for your appeal.

Once we have received your request for appeal, your FOI response will be reviewed in full to identify any problems in the disclosure.

The review will be undertaken by someone different from, and preferably senior to, the original decision maker and this should be completed within 20 working days from receipt, in exceptional circumstances it may be extended by a further 20 working days.

### **What if I'm still not satisfied?**

You can appeal to the Information Commissioner. You can contact the Information Commissioner Office at the following:-

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

Tel: 0303 123 1113 (local rate) or 01625 545 745 (national rate)

E-mail: [casework@ico.org.uk](mailto:casework@ico.org.uk)