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**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 14/10/2013.

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 some of the information you have requested.

Please find below answers to your questions:-

***Please could you provide me with the following information:***

***1. Monthly statistics of police response time in Beeston from March 2012 to October 2013.***

**"Beeston" consists of the following police beats:**

BEESTON CENTRAL	BEESTON TOWN CENTRE	BEESTON NORTH
BEESTON WEST		BEESTON RYLANDS

Please see the below tables of results for percentage of incidents in Beeston responded to within target time:

### **Grade 1 Incidents (Immediate) - 1st March 2012 to 17th October 2013**

Target - 85% to arrive at the scene within 15 mins of call being received (Urban areas)

<b>Month</b>	<b>Overall Number of Incidents</b>	<b>% Achieved within Target Time</b>
Mar-12	95	85.3%
Apr-12	79	93.7%
May-12	79	89.9%
Jun-12	99	89.9%
Jul-12	82	87.8%
Aug-12	99	82.8%
Sep-12	91	87.9%
Oct-12	76	89.5%
Nov-12	79	88.6%
Dec-12	76	86.8%
Jan-13	63	87.3%
Feb-13	76	89.5%
Mar-13	76	89.5%
Apr-13	74	85.1%
May-13	78	80.8%
Jun-13	100	78.0%
Jul-13	95	78.9%
Aug-13	86	79.1%
Sep-13	62	74.2%
Oct-13*	40	85.0%
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>1,605</b>	<b>85.4%</b>

\* Partial month

### **Grade 2 Incidents (Urgent) - 1st March 2012 to 17th October 2013**

Target - 80% to arrive at the scene within 60 mins of call being received

<b>Month</b>	<b>Overall Number of Incidents</b>	<b>% Achieved within Target Time</b>
Mar-12	134	67.2%
Apr-12	120	77.5%
May-12	142	71.8%
Jun-12	158	66.5%
Jul-12	148	70.9%
Aug-12	158	64.6%
Sep-12	166	70.5%
Oct-12	145	70.3%
Nov-12	138	62.3%
Dec-12	139	71.2%
Jan-13	139	69.8%
Feb-13	136	73.5%
Mar-13	130	72.3%
Apr-13	137	65.7%
May-13	150	64.0%
Jun-13	125	60.0%
Jul-13	157	66.2%
Aug-13	125	65.6%
Sep-13	123	74.0%
Oct-13	60	71.7%
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>2,730</b>	<b>68.6%</b>

\* Partial month

**2. Statistics on the number of persons caught littering and the number fined for littering in Beeston (or Broxtowe if Beeston too specific) from October 2012 to October 2013.**

**3. Statistics on the number of persons fined for not picking up after their dogs in Beeston (or Broxtowe if Beeston too specific).**

There have been no records of any prosecutions or tickets generated by Nottinghamshire Police during this period for either of the offences specified above.

You may wish to request this information from the local council for this area who will also have powers to issue tickets for these offences.

### **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?**

If so, prior to lodging a formal complaint, you are welcome and encouraged to discuss the decision with the case officer that dealt with your request.

### **Ask to have the decision looked at again**

The quickest and easiest way to have the decision reconsidered is to telephone the case officer that is identified at the end of your decision letter.

That person will be able to discuss the decision, explain any issues and assist with any problems.

### **Formal Independent Review**

If you are dissatisfied with the handling procedures or the decision made by Nottinghamshire Police under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, you can request an Independent Review.

Upon receipt for a review of the initial request response, an independent audit officer from Information Management will review the request and assess whether it has been satisfactorily processed in accordance with policy and procedure.

Requests for Independent Reviews requests should be made in writing to-

Force Information Manager  
Nottinghamshire Police  
Force Headquarters  
Sherwood Lodge  
Arnold  
Nottingham  
NG5 8PP

The Audit officer will record and communicate his/her decision to the information requester within 20 working days.

### **Appeals**

If the findings of the formal independent review do not meet your approval, you can register an appeal against the decision.

An investigation will then take place by the Freedom of Information officer, which will be reported and presented to the Internal Appeal Board. This will include a full account of the reasoning for or against disclosure and the application of any relevant exemptions.

The Internal Appeal Board will consist of at least a member of the Chief Officer Team, a member of the Legal Team and the Force Information Manager.

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Or call: 01159672507

**Applications to the Information Commissioner**

If you then remain dissatisfied, you may make an application to the Information Commissioner for a decision on whether the request for information has been dealt with in accordance with the requirements of the Act.

For information on how to make an application to the Information Commissioner, please visit their website at [www.informationcommissioner.gov.uk](http://www.informationcommissioner.gov.uk)

Alternatively, Write to:

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

Or call: 01625 545700.