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**REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 Ref No: FOI2019/05442**

I write in connection with your request for information received on 22nd August. I note you seek access to the following information:

**Please can you provide me with the number of crimes recorded by your force, per month, for each of the months since November 2017 to the most recent month for which the data is available for each of the following types of offence:**

- a) Assault
- b) Drugs
- c) Public order
- d) Robbery
- e) Theft
- f) Criminal damage / arson
- g) Possession of weapons
- h) Sexual offences (including rape)
- i) Rape

**2. Please can you provide me with the number of cautions issued per month, for each of the months from November 2017 to the most recent month for which the data is available for each of the offence types listed above.**

**3. Please can you provide me with the number of arrests made, per month, for each of the months from November 2017 to the most recent month for which the data is available for each of the offence types listed above.**

**4. Please can you provide me with the number of charges made, per month, for each of the months from November 2017 to the most recent month for which the data is available for each of the offence types listed above.**

**I would ideally like to receive data in format for each of the months for which the data is available since Nov 2017**

I am required by the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (The Act) to handle all requests in a manner that is blind to the identity of the requestor. Any information released in response to a request is regarded as being published and therefore, in the public domain without caveat.

RESPONSE - Following enquiries conducted by Bedfordshire Police and their crime recording systems within the Force please see our response in the attached document marked as **Annex A – FOI2019 05442**.

The numerical data presented in this response is an un-audited snapshot of un-published data sourced from "live" systems and is subject to the interpretation of the original request by the individual extracting the data.

Should you have any further enquiries concerning this matter please do not hesitate to contact me quoting the above reference number.

Yours sincerely

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Bedfordshire Police provides you the right to request an independent review of this response under its review procedure. If you require such a review you must notify us within two months from the date of this letter. After lodging a complaint with Bedfordshire Police if you are still dissatisfied with the decision you may make an application to the Information Commissioner. For information on how to make a complaint please visit their website at <https://ico.org.uk/concerns/> or contact them on 0303 123 1113.