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**REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 Ref No: FOI2020/00500**

I write in connection with your request for information received on 21st January. I note you seek access to the following information:

- 1. How much money has your force made from safety awareness courses in 2017, 2018 and 2019?**
- 2. How much did it cost your force to run these safety awareness courses in 2017, 2018 and 2019?**
- 3. How many people completed these safety awareness courses in 2017, 2018 and 2019?**

**Please can the answers refer to the full calendar year (1st January to 31st December).**

**Clarification-**

**'safety awareness courses' is an umbrella term for all driver retraining schemes offered to motorists instead of receiving points and a fine.**

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 Cameras, Tickets & Collisions Unit within the Force please see our response below: -

1: 2017: £1,377,358, 2018: £1,683,135 & 2019: £1,462,766

2: Nothing.

3: 2017 - 33,228, 2018 - 38,143 & 2019 - 32,596

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.