



HEDDLU
GOGLEDD CYMRU
NORTH WALES
POLICE

Response Date:24/12/2025

2025/1302 -Section 184 of the Online Safety Act 2023

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

- **How many arrests were made by your force in 2023 for the offence 'encouraging serious self-harm to a child under Section 184 of the Online Safety Act 2023'?**
- **How many people were charged in your force area for this offence in 2023?**
- **How many arrests were made by your force in the annual year 2024 for the offence 'encouraging serious self-harm to a child under Section 184 of the Online Safety Act 2023'?**
- **How many people were charged in your force area for this offence in 2024?**
- **How many arrests were made by your force in 2025 for the offence 'encouraging serious self-harm to a child under Section 184 of the Online Safety Act 2023'?**
- **How many people were charged in your force area for this offence in 2025?**

North Wales Police do not hold any information in relation to your request as there was a 'nil' return.

THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST
UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000, AND IS CORRECT AS AT 19/12/2025

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