



HEDDLU
GOGLEDD CYMRU
NORTH WALES
POLICE

Response Date:06/06/2025

2025/601 - Clause 66B of the Sexual Offences Act 2003

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following information from North Wales Police relating to offences under Clause 66B of the Sexual Offences Act 2003. Please may you provide me with:

- 1) The number of offences under Clause 66B of the Sexual Offences Act 2003 reported to North Wales Police since 1st January 2024**
- 2) The total number of charges for summary offences under Clause 66B of the Sexual Offences Act 2003 brought by North Wales Police since 1st January 2024; and the number of convictions resulting from these charges.**
- 3) The number of cases relating to offences under Clause 66B of the Sexual Offences Act 2003 referred to the Crown Prosecution Service by North Wales Police since 1st January 2024.**

Our information is set up and searchable for our policing purposes. To obtain all the data requested would involve manually reviewing each record on our force system. The cost of providing you with the information is above the amount to which we are legally required to respond i.e. the cost of retrieving the information exceeds the 'appropriate level' as stated in the Freedom of Information (FOI) Fees and Appropriate Limit regulations 2004.

Therefore, in accordance with the FOI Act 2000 the information you have requested is exempt under Section 12 (1), and this letter acts as a Refusal Notice under section 17 (5) of the legislation.

Although excess cost removed the forces obligations under the Freedom of Information Act, as a gesture of goodwill, I have supplied information, relative to your request, retrieved or available before it was realised that the fees limit would be exceeded. I trust this is helpful, but it does not affect our legal right to rely on the fees regulations for the remainder of your request.

We do not hold conviction data.

Outcome	Share photograph or film of a person in intimate state without consent	Sharing intimate photograph or film to cause alarm, distress or humiliation, or for	Sharing or threatening to share intimate photograph or film	Threaten to share intimate photograph or film	Sum:

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Glan-y-Don, Bae Colwyn LL29 8AW
www.heddlugogleddcymru.police.uk

Police Headquarters,
Glan-y-Don, Colwyn Bay LL29 8AW
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		sexual gratification			
01A. Alternate Offence Charged / Summoned / Postal Requisition	0	1	0	1	2
01. Charged / Summoned / Postal Requisition	0	3	0	2	5
08. Community Resolution / Youth Restorative Disposal	1	1	0	1	3
14. Victim Declines / Unable to Support Action to Identify Offender	1	6	1	4	12
15. CPS Named Suspect, Victim Supports but Evidential Difficulties	0	0	1	0	1
15. Police Named Suspect, Victim Supports but Evidential Difficulties	13	18	5	10	46
16. Victim Declines / Withdraws Support - Named Suspect Identified	13	6	2	9	30
18. Investigation Complete No Suspect Identified	6	6	1	6	19
20. Other Body / Agency has Investigation Primacy	1	2	0	1	4
21. Police Named Suspect, Investigation Not in the Public Interest	1	3	0	2	6
22. Diversionary/Educational	0	1	0	1	2
Outcome Not Yet Assigned	13	12	0	10	35
Total	49	59	10	47	165

THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST
UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000, AND IS CORRECT AS AT 06/06/2025