



**HEDDLU**  
**GOGLEDD CYMRU**  
**NORTH WALES**  
**POLICE**

Response Date:05/08/2026

**2026/739 - Firearms**

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

**Please provide the number of recorded offences in your force area, by calendar year (2023, 2024, and 2025 to date), for the following:**

- 1. Violent Crime Reduction Act 2006, section 32 — selling an air weapon by way of trade or business without both the buyer and the seller (or a representative) being present in person at the time of transfer.**
- 2. Firearms Act 1968, section 4A — possession of an article for use in converting an imitation firearm into a live firearm.**

| Calendar Year | HO Code | HO Description                                              |
|---------------|---------|-------------------------------------------------------------|
| 2023          | 081/90  | Possession of articles for conversion of imitation firearms |

THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST  
UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000, AND IS CORRECT AS AT 23/07/2026

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