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**2025/863 - Protected characteristics**

In response to your recent request for information regarding;

**2. The number of actions taken by NWP in the last five years to prevent offence being caused towards people who are not legally covered by "protected characteristics;"**

The Equality Act 2010 lists nine Protected Characteristics, these characteristics apply to all. They protect us all from discrimination. By their definition, we are all protected under at least five characteristics, meaning that everyone we come into contact with is "legally covered" by protected characteristics.

As the number of people that are "not legally covered" by protected characteristics is zero; then the number of actions taken by North Wales Police must also be zero.

THIS INFORMATION HAS BEEN PROVIDED IN RESPONSE TO A REQUEST  
UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000, AND IS CORRECT AS AT 12/08/2025

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