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**REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 Ref No: FOI2018/00854**

I write in connection with your request for information received on 16th February. I note you seek access to the following information:

**I would like to make a request under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) into driving licence endorsements for speeding recorded by Hertfordshire Constabulary and the speeds at which individuals were caught.**

The two questions are as follows:

**Q1. For the past three years (2015, 2016 and H1 2017) please provide the total number of incidents where a driving licence was endorsed for a speeding offence (SP10-SP50), broken down by the speed limit on the road on which they were travelling:**

- 20mph
- 30mph
- 40mph
- 50mph
- 60mph
- 70mph
- Private roads

**Q2. For the last full year (I assume this will be 2016), please provide the number of incidents where a driving licence was endorsed for a speeding offence (SP10-SP50), broken down by the speed range at which the individual was travelling and the speed limit on the road on which they were caught:**

- 20mph
- 30mph
- 40mph
- 50mph
- 60mph
- 70mph
- Private roads

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.

Following enquiries within the Constabulary please see our response below.

**Response**

**Q1** – Please see the below table detailing the information requested.

*This is the number of tickets that have been paid and should therefore have had their offender's license endorsed. The 2017 figures will change as offences are still being processed and are valid for six months.*

Speed Limit	Num of tickets 2015-2017
30	29555
40	12401
50	9551

60	4552
70	860
<b>Total</b>	<b>56919</b>

**Q2** – Please see the below table detailing the information requested.

<b>Speed Limit</b>	<b>30-39 MPH</b>	<b>40-49 MPH</b>	<b>50-59 MPH</b>	<b>60-69 MPH</b>	<b>70 MPH and above</b>	<b>Unknown</b>
30	5601	3434				11
40		1822	2181	550		1
50						
60			695	2388	639	
70				430	1980	
<b>Total</b>					<b>293</b>	<b>3</b>

All fines are paid direct to the Fixed Penalty Office (Her Majesty's Courts & Tribunals Service) and sent to central government.

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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Hertfordshire Constabulary 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 Hertfordshire Constabulary 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.