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REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 Ref No: FOI2018/01687

I write in connection with your request for information received on 27th March. I note you seek access to the following information:

I am requesting, under the Freedom of Information Act, for you to search for

- i) RTAs which mention dogs and then within that**
- ii) for the number of these incidents where the vehicle impacted the dog.**

Please would you itemise i) and ii) separately. I request this for each of the last five years you have data for.

If you estimate that will take longer than the allowed 18 hours, please would you do this for the last two years.

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 – Please see the below table detailing the information you have requested.

The following information relates to all road traffic collisions reported to the Force Control Room

Year	Dog Hit (Yes)	Dog Hit (No)
2013/14	30	104
2014/15	26	108
2015/16	26	143
2016/17	17	171
2017/18	27	144

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.