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REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 Ref No: FOI2018/03748

I write in connection with your request for information received on 11th July. I note you seek access to the following information:

I would ask for the following data points:

Name of the police station

Full address

Is/was there a public counter (yes/no)

Is the station open or closed as of July 2018?

Date opened (as a minimum – year and month) Date closed (as a minimum – year and month) Could you please provide the data in electronic format – Excel or CVS.

Please note that I am not asking for aggregate numbers, but data for each unique police station with metadata on when it was opened and closed, the address and the public counter availability. The data should cover all stations that existed within the period of 2010 till now.

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 – Information in relation to Hertfordshire Constabulary Police Stations are available to view at anytime on our website using the following link;

<https://www.herts.police.uk/Information-and-services/About-us/Police-stations>

This information is therefore is exempt under Section 21 of the Freedom of Information Act, Information Reasonably Accessible by Other Means.

Section 21 provides that where information is available to you from another source we do not have to provide further copies.

For information on Police stations that have since closed in Hertfordshire, please see below.

Location	Year Closed
High Street, Baldock	2012
High Street, Berkhamsted	2006
Elstree Way, Borehamwood	2015
Clay Hill, Bushey	2010
St Albans Road, Hatfield	2008
Ware Road, Hertford	2012
High Street, Hoddesdon	2016
High Street, London Colney	2010
North Orbital Road, North Watford	2014
The Causeway, Potters Bar	2010

Rectory Road, Rickmansworth	2012
Cambridge Road, Sawbridgeworth	2013
Victoria Street, St Albans	2015
The Campus, Welwyn Garden City	2011

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.