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REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 Ref No: FOI2018/03013

I write in connection with your request for information received on 2nd June. I note you seek access to the following information:

For the period 1st January 2018 to 31st March 2018 can you please tell me how many drone/UAV related calls have been received by Hertfordshire Police, with a breakdown of the nature of the incident, any action taken, and the month the call was received.

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.

Initial Class	Details	Closing Code	January	February	March
ADVICE/MESSAGES					
	Advice / Messages	Advice Message	1	-	-
	Drone Operation Today	Advice Message	-	1	-
	Drone Usage	Advice Message	-	1	-
	Filming	Advice Message	-	-	1
CONCERN FOR WELFARE					
	Drone outside Mother's Door	Public Safety & Welfare Issue	-	-	1
	Hanging out the Boot of Vehicle	Public Safety & Welfare Issue	1	-	-
NOISE COMPLAINT					
	Noisy Drone	Anti-Social Behaviour	1	-	-
PROPERTY LOST/FOUND					
	Drone stuck in Guttering	Advice Message	-	1	-
ROWDY OR INCONSIDERATE					
	Drone being flown over Road	Anti-Social Behaviour	-	-	1
	Drone flying low	Anti-Social Behaviour	-	-	1
SHOPLIFTING					
	Somebody stole a Drone	Crime Investigated. No Suspect Identified	-	-	1
SUSPICIOUS CIRCUMSTANCES					
	2 Males on Site	Public safety & Welfare Issue	-	1	-

	Drone above the House	Public safety & Welfare Issue	-	1	-
	Drone Activity	Public safety & Welfare Issue	-	-	1
	Drone flew towards me	Public safety & Welfare Issue	1	-	-
	Drone flying over garden	Public safety & Welfare Issue	-	-	1
	Drone flying over school	Public safety & Welfare Issue	1	1	-
	Drone flying around	Public safety & Welfare Issue	-	-	1
	Drone flying around high	Public safety & Welfare Issue	-	1	-
	Drone flying by back Garden	Public safety & Welfare Issue	-	1	-
	Drone flying early this morning	Public safety & Welfare Issue	-	1	-
	Drone flying over	Public safety & Welfare Issue	-	1	1
	Drone flying over M1	Public safety & Welfare Issue	1	-	-
	Drone flying over my House	Public safety & Welfare Issue	-	1	-
	Drone flying over my Set	Public safety & Welfare Issue	1	-	-
	Drone in Garden	Public safety & Welfare Issue	1	-	-
	Drone in Sky	Public safety & Welfare Issue	-	1	-
	Drone was flying near House	Public safety & Welfare Issue	-	1	-
	Drone was over Gardens	Public safety & Welfare Issue	-	-	1
	Drones are looking into flats	Public safety & Welfare Issue	1	-	-
	Drones flying about	Public safety & Welfare Issue	1	-	-
	Loud drone circling the area	Public safety & Welfare Issue	1	-	-
	Suspicious drone activity	Public safety & Welfare Issue	1	-	-
Grand Total			12	13	10

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.