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REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 Ref No: FOI2018/00830

I write in connection with your request for information received on 15th February. I note you seek access to the following information:

I have emailed Hertfordshire Council to ask for all DHRs that have been published since 2011 in Hertfordshire to be made available to me for my university dissertation. They emailed me today to tell me that I should contact the Hertfordshire police. I have also been contacting individual community safety partnerships. I am using pieces of information such as age and gender of victim and assailant, method of homicide, if a kitchen knife was used, if the perpetrator was mentally disordered and if they were in contact with mental health services recently. I am attempting to go through every DHR in England and Wales to create a large compilation of information that may be useful in the future.

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 – Hertfordshire Constabulary have had 1 DHR since 2011. The victim and offender were both male and this occurred in the CSP area of North Hertfordshire.

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.