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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION REQUEST

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Dear requester,

Thank you for your recent request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Section 1 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) places two duties on public authorities. Unless exemptions apply, the first duty at, **Section 1(1) (a)**, is to confirm or deny whether the information specified in a request is held. The second duty at, **Section 1 (1) (b)**, is to disclose information that has been confirmed as being held.

The information that you are seeking is in relation to the following:

REQUEST

- How many reports of controlling and coercive behaviour (code 00867) were received in 2019?
- How many reported incidents of controlling and coercive behaviour (code 00867) were with an 'outcome': charge/summons in 2019?
- How many reports of controlling and coercive behaviour (code 00867) were received in 2020?
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- How many reports of controlling and coercive behaviour (code 00867) were received in 2022?
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RESPONSE

The table below provides the number of recorded 'Engage in Controlling/Coercive Behaviour in an Intimate/Family Relationship (HO Code 008/67)' crimes for the years 2019 to 23/05/2024.

Recorded Year	Number of Recorded Offences with a HO code 008/67	Number of Charged/Summonsed Outcomes
2019	277	13
2020	226	10
2021	378	12
2022	333	26
2023	305	16
2024	144	8
Total	1663	85

Freedom of Information Act is a public disclosure regime, not a private regime. Any information disclosed under the Act is thereafter deemed to be in the public domain, and therefore freely available to the public and will be published on the Gwent Police website.

If, upon receiving a response to a freedom of information request, you are unhappy with the outcome, you may request an internal review. **This should be made within 40 working days of the initial response.**

Please direct any internal review requests to FOI@gwent.police.uk

You have the right to request an appeal from the Information Commissioners Office about your Freedom of Information request, if you are dissatisfied with your internal review response.

ICO Contact Details:

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Thank you for your interest in Gwent Police.