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XXXXXX – by E mail

Date 06 April 2021

Your ref

Our ref: FOI 2021 / 314

Reply contact name is : **Nick Penny**

Dear XXXXX,

I write in connection with your request for information, dated 6th April 2021 concerning speed cameras in Wiltshire.

I am required by the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to handle all requests in a manner that is blind as to the identity and motives of the requestor. Any information released as a response to a request is regarded as being published and therefore in the public domain without caveat.

Following receipt of your request, research was conducted by the justice traffic department of Wiltshire Police.

Your request for information has now been considered and I am able to respond as follows.

You wrote:

During the 2019 and 2020 calendar years, how many temporary fixed position speed cameras were withdrawn from service that were positioned at a site where a temporary speed limit had been introduced because of road maintenance?

(This figure should include all those temporary cameras that were installed and removed during 2019 and 2020 but also those installed prior to 2019 but subsequently removed during 2019 or 2020.)

For each of the temporary cameras referred to above please state:

- When was it installed?
- When was it removed?
- Where it was positioned?
- What was the original speed limit on the road?
- What was the temporary speed limit being enforced for the cameras?
- In relation to the temporary speed limit (i) what was the total number of violations of the limit that were detected by the system and (ii) and how many notices of intended prosecution were sent to motorists?
- What was the highest speed or highest average speed recorded at this site and (if known) the make and model of the vehicle involved and the penalty imposed?



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Response:

Wiltshire Police have not had any operational static speed cameras for a number of years now, certainly not within the time period you mention in this request.

As a consequence we cannot answer your questions a to g (inclusive) as they are essentially irrelevant here and our response is therefore – **No Information Held**.

The only speed cameras that Wiltshire Police use are the hand-held mobile cameras, such as a speed guns, which are given to local officers all over the county, in order to provide random speed checks.

The locations of these are generally sporadic / dependant on the circumstances and any locally reported issues and there are no records maintained of when and where they are deployed. An Officer could park on any road or intersection, deploy the speed gun, and it may not even be logged, especially if no speeders are recorded.

I am satisfied that all the relevant information has been passed to me, and been considered in the light of your request, within the time constraints applicable under the legislation.

Wiltshire Police would like to thank you for the interest that you have shown in the Force.

Yours sincerely

Force Disclosure Decision Maker

Wiltshire Police offers a re-examination of your case under its review procedure.

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Freedom of Information Request Appeals Procedure

1. Who Can Ask for a Review

Any person who has requested information from Wiltshire Police, which has been dealt with under the Freedom of Information Act, is entitled to complain and request an internal review, if they are dissatisfied with the response they received.

2. How to Request a Review

Requests for review of a Freedom of Information request must be made in writing to the:
Force Disclosure Manager
Wiltshire Police Headquarters,
London Road, Devizes,
Wiltshire,
SN10 2DN

Email at disclosure@wiltshire.pnn.police.uk.

The reference number, date of the request and details of why the review is being requested must be included. Requests for review should be brought to the attention of the Force Disclosure Manager within 20 working days of the Force's response to the original Fol request.

3. Review Procedure

Receipt of a request for review will be acknowledged in writing to include confirmation of the reasons for the review. The review will be conducted by another Decision Maker, who is independent from the original Decision Maker. The Force Disclosure Manager will set a target date for a response. The response will be made as soon as is practicable with the intention to complete the review within twenty working days. In more complex cases the review may take up to 40 working days.

The Independent Decision Maker will conduct a review of the handling of the request for information and of decisions taken, including decisions taken about where the public interest lies in respect of exempt information where applicable. The review enables a re-evaluation of the case, taking into account the matters raised by the complaint.

4. Conclusion of the Appeal

On completion of the review the Independent Decision Maker will reply to the complainant with the result of the review. If the complainant is still dissatisfied following the review they should contact the Information Commissioner to make an appeal. The Information Commissioner can be contacted via the following details:

Information Commissioner's Office
Wycliffe House
Water Lane
Wilmslow
Cheshire
SK9 5AF
Tel: 01625 545 700
Fax: 01625 524 510
Email: mail@ico.gsi.gov.uk

Please note that the ICO's offices will be closed for the foreseeable future and are therefore unable to receive correspondence via post.

If you should wish you contact them, please visit <https://ico.org.uk/global/contact-us/>