



Nottinghamshire

POLICE & CRIME COMMISSIONER



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Dear

Request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)

Thank you for your request for information, which was received by the Nottinghamshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner on 26 April 2021.

INFORMATION REQUESTED

When a dog is seized under the Dangerous Dogs Act 1991, and an owner is asked to disclaim their dog or voluntarily does so.

1. Do you give the owners a chance to seek advice and to rescind that disclaimer?
2. Where an owner disclaims their dog. Do you allow a cooling off period, allowing the owner to rescind it before the dog is euthanized?
3. If so, what period of time do you allow?

FOI 2. REQUEST.

In the 12 months between January 2020 -January 2021

1. How many dogs were seized under the dangerous dogs act 1991?
2. How many of the dogs in the same 12 month period seized under the dangerous dogs act 1991 were relinquished at point of seizure?
3. How many of dogs seized were successfully rescinded after owners had a chance to seek advice?

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Please find below answers to your questions:-

RESPONSE

Under S 1 (1) (a) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA), I can confirm that the Nottinghamshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner does not hold the information you have requested, however this information may be held by Nottinghamshire Police.

If you would like to forward your request onto Nottinghamshire Police, their contact details are provided below. If you would prefer for us to forward your request onto Nottinghamshire Police, please confirm this in writing.

The contact details for Nottinghamshire Police are:

Nottinghamshire Police
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Sherwood Lodge
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I would like to take this opportunity to thank you for your interest in the Nottinghamshire Office of the Police and Crime Commissioner.

Should you have any further enquiries concerning this matter, please write or contact the Freedom of Information Officer on telephone number 0115 844 5998 or e-mail nopcc@nottinghamshire.pnn.police.uk

Yours sincerely



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