



Our Ref: 003671/20

Your Ref:

Address Correspondence to: Jane Orange, Information Management

Date 04 November 2020

Dear Mr Simpson,

Freedom of Information Act 2000

I write further to your request for information received 03/11/2020.

I note you seek access to the following information:

Since the beginning of March 2020;

- 1. How many incidents of speeding have been logged during enforcement operations;*
- 2. Where did the incidents occur - on the A6 or in Kibworth;*
- 3. What were the speeds of offending motorists?*
- 4. What were they driving - cars, vans, HGV,s motorbikes?*
- 5. How many speeding tickets have been issued?*
- 6. How many prosecutions have been instigated?*
- 7. How many prosecutions have been instigated and subsequently abandoned?*

- 8. What are the NPCC speed thresholds adopted by Leicestershire Police for 70, 50, 40 and 30mph restrictions?*
- 9. Over how long a period, as a minimum, must traffic be monitored to establish a credible sample (Para 56, 1 ibid)?*
- 10. What legal underpin does Leicestershire Police use to substitute their own "speed limit" above the discrete limit confirmed by legislation?*

Following receipt of your request, searches were conducted within Leicestershire Police to locate information relevant to your request.

Your request for information has now been considered and the information asked for is as follows: -

The response below refer to enforcement at Great Glen and Kibworth between 1st March 2020 and 31 October 2020 incl.

1. We only hold information on the numbers of "speeding tickets" issued. 5 tickets have been issued relating to your request.
2. All of the above were on the Great Glen Bypass.
3. The speeds recorded for the above were 93, 93, 94, 107, 110mph
4. We only hold data for make of vehicle so we are unable to provide this information.

5. See Q1
6. All 5 tickets have resulted in either a conditional offer being paid or court proceedings commenced.
7. None
8. Leicestershire Police work within the National Police Chiefs Council (NPCC) enforcement guidelines of a minimum of 10% +2mph for all speed limits and likewise for the outcome thresholds as per the table below.

Limit	Device tolerance	Fixed Penalty when education is not appropriate	Speed Awareness if appropriate		Summons in all other cases and above
			From	To	
20 mph	22mph	24 mph	24 mph	31 mph	35 mph
30 mph	32 mph	35 mph	35 mph	42 mph	50 mph
40 mph	42 mph	46 mph	46 mph	53 mph	66 mph
50 mph	52 mph	57 mph	57 mph	64 mph	76 mph
60 mph	62 mph	68 mph	68 mph	75 mph	86 mph
70 mph	73 mph	79 mph	79 mph	86 mph	96 mph

All speeds identified above are those shown on the speed device, speedometer or other detection devices

9. 'Community Concern' covert speed surveys undertaken by Leicestershire County Council on behalf of the Road Safety Partnership usually last for 7-8 days to ensure all days and times are covered.
10. As stated above, Leicestershire Police operate within the National Guidance.

Leicestershire Police provides you the right to ask for a re-examination of your request under its review procedure. Letters should be addressed to Information Manager, Corporate Services Department at the above address. If you decide to request such a review and having followed the Force's full process you are still dissatisfied, then you have the right to direct your comments to the Information Commissioner who will give it consideration.

Yours sincerely

Jane Orange

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