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**DYFED-POWYS**

**FOI Reference: 543/2020**

**Request:**

1. The number of crimes recorded by your force between 1 August, 2019, and 31 July, 2020, in which the crime report and/or MO refers to Amazon parcels/deliveries e.g. thefts from doorsteps, robberies and/or assaults of delivery staff etc etc.

Please provide a table specifying the month of the crime, the offences recorded, a summary of the crime e.g. the items stolen or the circumstances of the robbery/assaults, and the outcome of the investigation.

2. The number of crimes recorded by your force between 1 August, 2018, and 31 July, 2019, in which the crime report and/or MO refers to Amazon parcels/deliveries e.g. thefts from doorsteps, robberies and/or assaults of delivery staff etc.

Please provide a table specifying the month of the crime, the offences recorded, a summary of the crime e.g. the items stolen or the circumstances of the robbery/assaults, and the outcome of the investigation.

3. The number of crimes recorded by your force between 1 August, 2017, and 31 July, 2018, in which the crime report and/or MO refers to Amazon parcels/deliveries e.g. thefts from doorsteps, robberies and/or assaults of delivery staff etc.

Please provide a table specifying the month of the crime, the offences recorded, a summary of the crime e.g. the items stolen or the circumstances of the robbery/assaults, and the outcome of the investigation.

4. The number of crimes recorded by your force between 1 August, 2016, and 31 July, 2017, in which the crime report and/or MO refers to Amazon parcels/deliveries e.g. thefts from doorsteps, robberies and/or assaults of delivery staff etc.

Please provide a table specifying the month of the crime, the offences recorded, a summary of the crime e.g. the items stolen or the circumstances of the robbery/assaults, and the outcome of the investigation.

**Response 1:**

Please note: The information provided in responses 1 – 4 is as a result of a keyword search for the term 'Amazon' in the Mo/account of the crime only.

I can confirm that Dyfed-Powys Police does hold the information requested, the details of which are as follows:

<b>01/08/19 - 31/07/20</b>	
<b>Month</b>	<b>Total</b>
Aug	1
Oct	1
May	2
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>4</b>

<b>Offence Type</b>	<b>Total</b>
Burglary - Residential	2
Other Theft	2
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>4</b>

<b>Items Stolen/ Circumstances</b>
Crockery, book, toys/games
Computers
Amazon Package had been opened without consent
Unauthorised access used to deliver Amazon Package

<b>Outcome</b>	<b>Total</b>
Investigation Complete: No suspect identified	2
Victim declines/unable to support action - named suspect not identified	1
Victim supports action but evidential difficulties	1
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>4</b>

## **Response 2:**

I can confirm that Dyfed-Powys Police does hold the information requested, the details of which are as follows:

<b>01/08/18 - 31/07/19</b>	
<b>Month</b>	<b>Total</b>
Sept	1
Dec	1
Jul	1
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>3</b>

<b>Offence Type</b>	<b>Total</b>
Theft of Mail	1
Other Theft	2
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>3</b>

<b>Items Stolen/ Circumstances</b>
Mobile phone
DVDs

Empty Amazon package received

<b>Outcome</b>	<b>Total</b>
Investigation Complete: No suspect identified	3
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>3</b>

**Response 3:**

I can confirm that Dyfed-Powys Police does hold the information requested, the details of which are as follows:

<b>01/08/17 - 31/07/18</b>	
<b>Month</b>	<b>Total</b>
Aug	1
June	2
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>3</b>

<b>Offence Type</b>	<b>Total</b>
Burglary - Residential	1
Fraud	1
Other Theft	1
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>3</b>

<b>Items Stolen/ Circumstances</b>
Tablet
Camera
Various , Games Console

<b>Outcome</b>	<b>Total</b>
Investigation Complete: No suspect identified	2
Victim supports action but evidential difficulties	1
<b>Grand Total</b>	<b>3</b>

**Response 4:**

I can confirm that there is no information held/record by Dyfed Powys Police as there are zero (0) crimes in which the keyword 'Amazon' is present in the Mo/account of the crime for the period covering 01/0816 – 31/07/17.

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**It should be noted that owing to the systems adopted by Dyfed-Powys Police in relation to the recording of such matters the information provided may or may not be accurate. Police Forces in the United Kingdom are routinely required to provide crime statistics to government bodies and the recoding criteria is set nationally. However, the systems used for recording these figures are not generic, nor are the procedures used locally in capturing the data. It should be noted that for these reasons this Force's response to your questions should not be used for comparison purposes with any other response you may receive.**

(This is a response under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 and disclosed on 13/10/20)