



Heddlu Police

**DYFED-POWYS**

**FOI Reference: 931/2018**

**Request:**

I should be grateful if you would please provide me with the following information:

1. Between 1 January 2008 and 1 November 2018, how many cases were referred to you by the Registrar of Criminal Appeals/Director of Public Prosecutions for a police investigation in relation to a potential offence under the Contempt of Court Act 1981 and/or S.20D - S.20G of the Juries Act 1974 ?
2. Of those cases referred to you between 1 January 2008 and 1 November 2018, in how many cases was the suspect interviewed under caution?
3. Of those cases referred to you between 1 January 2008 and 1 November 2018, how many defendants were charged with an offence under the Contempt of Court Act 1981 or the Juries Act 1974?
4. Of those cases in which charges were brought, how many of the defendant's were convicted of an offence under the Contempt of Court Act 1981 and or Juries Act 1974).

If the information is available, I should be grateful if you would please confirm the following:

5. Of those cases referred to you between 1 January 2008 and 1 November 2018, what was the nature of the allegation i.e. internet research, racial bias.

**Clarification:**

Further to the email below I would like to clarify that in question 1, when referring to offences under the Juries Act 1974, I am referring to offences under S.20A - S.20D rather than S.20D - S.20G.

**Responses 1 - 4:**

I can confirm that Dyfed-Powys Police does hold the information requested, as outlined below.

	<b>01/01/2008 – 01/11/2018</b>
<b>Total number of cases recorded</b>	1
<b>Total number of cases recorded in Q1 whereby the defendant was interviewed under caution</b>	0
<b>Total number of cases recorded in Q1 whereby the defendant was charged</b>	1
<b>Total number of cases recorded in Q1 whereby the defendant was convicted</b>	1

**Response 5:**

I can confirm that there is no information held by Dyfed-Powys Police due to the fact that the nature of the allegation is not recorded by the force.

**It should be noted that as a result of the systems adopted by Dyfed-Powys Police in relation to the recording of such information that the information released may or may not be accurate.**