

Request Reference: 320A/20

**1. How many times from 2015 to 2020 (to date) has your force informed the DVLA it has issued a penalty notice for a number plate that does not comply with the requirements of the Road Vehicles (Display of Registration Marks) Regulations 2001? Please break this information down by calendar year.**

Please note, it is not been possible to determine the number of times the DVLA were informed in relation to the issuance of a penalty notice (see covering letter for details). The following table therefore provides the total number of penalty notices issued for VRM Not Conforming/Missing, NOT only those where the DVLA were informed:

Year	Total
2015	113
2016	194
2017	184
2018	148
2019	265
2020*	204
Grand Total	1,108

\*to 31 May

**2. How many times from 2015 to 2020 (to date) has your force issued two penalty notices relating to the same registration number and vehicle keeper for failing to comply with the requirements of the Road Vehicles (Display of Registration Marks) Regulations 2001? Please break this information down by calendar year.**

Number of times two or more notices issued to same vehicle in given year:

2015 - 2  
 2016 - 1  
 2017 - 4  
 2018 - 2  
 2019 - 7  
 2020 - 7

Between 2015 and 2020 (May) there have been 37 occasions where a ticket has been issued for the same vehicle.

In terms of the registered keeper the ticket is usually issued to the driver and it is those details that are recorded. However for 2015 / 16 driver details have now been weeded and are therefore not available.

Number of times two or more notices issued to same vehicle and driver in given year:

2017 - 4  
 2018 - 2  
 2019 - 7  
 2020 - 2