REQUEST

Please could you provide me with the following information.

Please note, all questions relate to uniformed officers, not support staff.

1.(a) The number of new recruits to the force in 2023 who accepted jobs after a face-to-face interview

2023- 33

2022 - 0

2021 - 0

2020 - 0

Jan 2019 to July 2019 - 149

PEQF (Policing Education Qualifications Framework) entry route process didn't require a face to face interview so everything from July 2019 recruitment on would be 0.

In person interviews (face to face interview) recommenced from March 2023 for Police Officers.

- 1. (b) The total number of new recruits to the force in 2023
- 2. The same figures for 2022
- 3. The same figures for 2021
- 4. The same figures for 2020
- 5. The same figures for 2019

Year	Headcount
2019	254
2020	853
2021	755
2022	678
2023	513
Grand Total	3,053

2023 covers the period Jan to Aug, inclusive.

6. The number of existing police officers (not new recruits) who have undergone re vetting since March 2023

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