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Dear 

Re: Freedom of Information Act application

In reference to your application made pursuant to the *Freedom of Information Act 1991* (FOI Act), access was sought to:

"Hi team, Hope you're well. I was directed to make a GIPA request by the media unit. I'm a reporter . I'm working on a piece examining the 48hr period immediately after an DVO is taken out. I request data to be compiled on how many times DVOs were breached within 48 hours of being issued each year from 2020 to YTD 2024. I also request data on the total number of DVOs granted during this period"

In relation to the following part of your application:

how many times DVOs were breached within 48 hours of being issued each year from 2020 to YTD 2024

SAPOL do not hold any documents containing the information you have requested.

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South Australia Police (SAPOL) systems have been searched and data relating to your application has been extracted. Please note, it is not possible to separate domestic violence orders so the data below is for all intervention order.

SAPOL provide the below information in response to your request and agree to **release the information in full**.

Year	Police issued Intervention Orders	Intervention Orders applications by SAPOL to court
2020	3176	372
2021	2940	302
2022	3025	265
2023	3187	224
2024 (to 31/07)	2119	135

Please note the data tabulated above is for police generated intervention orders calculated within each calendar year period.

Data for financial years periods can be located within the SAPOL Annual Reports: [SAPOL - Annual reporting \(police.sa.gov.au\)](https://www.police.sa.gov.au/annual-reporting)

Data relating to all police and private intervention order applications can be obtained from the courts administration authority: [Statistics - CAA \(courts.sa.gov.au\)](https://www.courts.sa.gov.au/statistics).

Disclosure Log

In accordance with the requirements of Premier and Cabinet Circular PC045, details of your FOI application, including the information and/or document to which you are given access will be published on the SAPOL website Disclosure Log. A copy of PC045 can located at: https://www.dpc.sa.gov.au/data/assets/pdf_file/0019/20818/PC045-Disclosure-Logs.pdf. If you disagree with publication, please advise the undersigned in writing by **5 October 2024**.

Yours sincerely



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