Access to Public Information Response

June 1st 2016

REQUEST UNDER THE CODE OF PRACTICE FOR ACCESS TO PUBLIC INFORMATION

Request sent on June 1st 2016:

I wish to submit a request for information about the number of occasions that Police Guernsey confiscated alcohol from under-18s during the following time periods:

1 January -31 December 2011

1 January - 31 December 2012

1 January - 31 December 2013

1 January - 31 December 2014

1 January - 30 May 2015

And, how many bottles of alcohol were seized on each of these occasions.

Also it would be ideal if these figures could be broken down into the following areas:

St Peter Port

St Pierre du Bois

St Sampson

St Saviour

St Martin

St Andrew

Vale

Castle

Torteval

Forest

Herm

Sark

Alderney

If the scale of the inquiry is too wide, and would be too costly, I would be happy to discuss reducing the scale of my request.

States of Guernsey response on June 2nd 2015:

In Guernsey, it is an offence to possess, consume intoxicating liquor in a public place whilst under 18yrs.

The Children and Young Persons (Control of Intoxicating Liquor) Guernsey Law, 1986. (includes Herm) The number of report incidents are as follow:

2011 = 24

2012 = 33

2013 = 17

2014 = 14

2015 to end on May = 4

The volumes, whether in bottles / cans / glasses - cannot be provided.

Details of recorded offences are published in the police statistical digest of the Law Enforcement Annual Report, available on the Guernsey Police website www.guernsery.police.uk.

The 2014 report will be published later this month.

Alderney / Sark - no similar legislation