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Our ref: OIA 131190

Tēnā koe Dee

Official Information Act Request: Statistics on intimate partner violence (IPV)

I refer to your Official Information Act 1982 (the Act) request of 21 March 2026, to the Ministry of Justice (the Ministry). Specifically, you requested:

1. *...general statistics on reported domestic intimate partner violence (IPV), with victim statistics are broken down by gender (eg male vs female victims) and type of IPV (physical vs sexual).*
2. *If possible over the last 5 years with numbers per year, and include, if available, statistics on reported IPV's that resulted in successful conviction. If detailed numbers are significant to collate, approximate percentages would be fine*

I have transferred part 1 your request to the New Zealand Police (the Police). The information to which your request relates to in part 1 is not held by the Ministry and is believed to be more closely connected with the functions of the Police. In these circumstances, we are required by section 14 of the Act to transfer your request.

You will hear further from the Police concerning part 1 of your request in due course. Should you need to contact them, you can do so at: ministerial.services@police.govt.nz.

The Ministry will be responding to the remainder of your request by no later than 21 April 2026.

If you are not satisfied with this response, you have the right to make a complaint to the Ombudsman under section 28 of the Act. The Office of the Ombudsman may be contacted by phone on 0800 802 602, by email at info@ombudsman.parliament.nz, or via the webform [Make a complaint \(for members of the public\) | Ombudsman New Zealand](#).

Nāku noa, nā



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