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Dear

Freedom of Information: Right to know request FOI 3983

Thank you for your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, for the following information.

"I am interested in finding out how many dawn raids the FCA has conducted. By "dawn raids" I mean searches of businesses' and individuals' premises by the FCA under warrant and in the presence of a police officer.

I would like to know how many dawn raids the FCA carried out in 2014. Please provide the data broken down by quarter. If the data is not available in a quarterly format, please provide it in whatever form it exists."

Your request has now been considered and the relevant information is below.

Although the total number of search warrants that have been executed on behalf of the FCA over this period is 8, that does not necessarily mean that there have been 8 separate cases. For example, sometimes we may have to search a number of different addresses in relation to one case.

Quarter of 2014	Number of Searches Conducted
January to March	8
April to June	0
July to September	0

October to December	0
Total	8

I trust this satisfies your request.

Yours sincerely

Information Access Team