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Dear Mr O'Dowd,

To ask the Minister how many people have been charged and convicted as a result of street disturbances, connected to dissident activity, in the Lurgan and Brownlow areas in each of the last three years. 7126/10

The above mentioned question was placed before the Minister of Justice, who has deemed that this is an operational matter for the Police Service of Northern Ireland. Therefore the Chief Constable has been asked to respond directly.

The Police Service of Northern Ireland does not record the information you seek in a readily accessible format, given the diverse range of possible offences involved. To provide a response would require an extensive manual trawl of records, at disproportionate cost. However, should you wish to discuss the broad issues attaching to your request, the Area Commander in Craigavon, Chief Inspector Murphy would be happy to do so. He can be contacted at Lurgan Police Station on 0845 600 8000.

If you have any queries regarding this response, please address your correspondence to Command Secretariat, PSNI Headquarters, 65 Knock Road, Belfast, Northern Ireland BT5 6LE.

I trust this is of assistance.

Yours sincerely,

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