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**Our ref:** IG000040

**Dyddiad/Date:** 08.01.2020

## RE: Request for Information held by SWFRS

Your request ref: IG000040 has been dealt with under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

### You asked us:

Please can you provide the number of times fire crews have been called out to help paramedics move obese people?

Please can you provide the data for each year, either financial or calendar, depending on how the figures are recorded, for the period 2014-2019.

If there is data for 2019, up to the current date, please can you provide this?

### Our response:

Number of times SWFRS have assisted the Ambulance Trust to move obese people.

| Year  | Number |
|-------|--------|
| 2014  | 41     |
| 2015  | 48     |
| 2016  | 57     |
| 2017  | 57     |
| 2018  | 55     |
| 2019* | 66     |

\* 2019 data covers incident up to 10th December. This data has not been audited and is subject to change

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If you have any queries regarding your Freedom of Information request, please contact us at [Dataprotection@southwales-fire.gov.uk](mailto:Dataprotection@southwales-fire.gov.uk) quoting the reference number above in any future communication.

If you are dissatisfied with the way that your information request has been handled, you can request an internal review by writing to:

Information Governance and Compliance Officer  
South Wales Fire and Rescue Service  
Forest View Business Park  
Llantrisant  
CF72 8LX

If you remain dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioner at:

Information Commissioner's Office-Wales,  
2nd Floor,  
Churchill House,  
Churchill Way,  
Cardiff,  
CF10 2HH.

There is no charge for making an appeal.

Yours Faithfully

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