

Fingal Joint Policing Committee - Garda Report



**Garda Síochána Act 2005 – Joint Policing Guidelines 15.9**

The following is compiled by way of general information, for the period under review, as per regulation 17.6, in accordance with the headings specified in that regulation, (1) Commission of Crime and (2) Crime Prevention matters.

<b>Garda Station / (Sub)District</b>	District of Ballymun	<b>Period</b>	1 <sup>st</sup> March – 31 <sup>st</sup> May
<b>Chief / Superintendent</b>	DMR North	<b>Date of JPC Meeting</b>	26 <sup>th</sup> June 2017

Reports Of	2016	2017	Change	Detection Rate 2016	Detection Rate 2017	Comments
Assault Causing Harm	17	17	0%	35%	12%	
Assault Minor	46	52	13%	24%	25%	
Aggravated Burglary	1	0	-100%	0%	0%	
Burglary	53	59	11%	21%	10%	
Criminal Damage	118	121	3%	23%	15%	
Discharge of Firearm	0	1	100%	0%	0%	This was in Shangan Green
Robbery from Person	7	17	143%	14%	6%	Mostly phone snatch type robberies
Robbery from Establishments	2	7	250%	0%	29%	Off licence and Spar/centra shops in the evenings
Theft from the Person	17	25	47%	24%	8%	Increase mainly due to airport
Theft from MPV	70	95	36%	9%	15%	
Traffic / UT of Vehicle	23	27	17%	17%	11%	
Theft from Shop	134	164	22%	70%	56%	
Theft (Other)	88	115	31%	19%	14%	
Fraud / Deception	19	24	26%	21%	13%	
Public Order Incidents	88	90	2%	76%	80%	

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<b>Garda Patrol Activity</b>	<b>2015</b>	<b>2016</b>	<b>Change</b>	<b>Detection Rate 2015</b>	<b>Detection Rate 2016</b>	<b>Comments</b>
<b>Possession of Firearm</b>	3	4	33%	67%	50%	
<b>Possession of Drugs for Sale or Supply</b>	21	27	29%	100%	100%	This is as a result of an Increase in Garda searches and arrests
<b>Possession of Drugs for Personal Use</b>	44	57	30%	98%	100%	This is as a result of an Increase in Garda searches and arrests
<b>Possession of Offensive Weapon</b>	16	19	19%	100%	74%	
<b>Searches under Drugs Act</b>	485	505	4%	n/a	n/a	
<b>Vehicle Seizures Sec 41</b>	220	267	21%	n/a	n/a	

<p><b>Crime Prevention Matters and Other Information</b></p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Both local and national initiatives to disrupt, prevent and detect crimes are ongoing and will continue.</li> <li>2. A lot of drug seizures will shortly come to fruition and will be dealt with by the Courts of law.</li> <li>3. 5 additional recruit Garda due to arrive in July to Ballymun Garda Station</li> </ol>
<p>It should be noted that in any reference to statistics, those statistics are provisional, operational, liable to change and some possibly re-classified with the introduction of Central Statistics Office reports.</p>	