

**Table 4** The number of cases that did not result in a prosecution with the reason for non-continuance

<b>Year</b>	<b>Suspect known but no complaint. Insufficient evidence to prosecute</b>	<b>Suspect known and complaint received. Insufficient evidence to prosecute</b>	<b>Suspect unknown crime confirmed – Injured Party declines/ unable to assist police</b>	<b>No suspect</b>	<b>Suspect too ill to prosecute</b>	<b>Offender has died</b>	<b>Suspect known but no complaint and offence admitted</b>	<b>Suspect known, Injured party or witness dead or sick</b>	<b>Live / open</b>	<b>Prosecution not in the public interest</b>
2019	47	42	12	<5	<5	0	<5	<5	0	<5
2020	38	26	11	<5	<5	<5	<5	<5	0	0
2021	35	44	15	5	0	<5	<5	0	<5	0
2022	46	26	14	7	<5	<5	<5	0	6	0
2023	51	34	13	9	0	0	0	0	18	0