

Response to Request for Information

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Malicious Allegations Against Teachers

Request:

Please could you tell me how many cases involving allegations made against teachers were referred to your authority's Local Area Designated Officer (LADO) in each of the past three financial years and how many of those cases, on a yearly basis, were found to be either:

1. Proven
2. Unfounded
3. Malicious

With reference to your above request, please see table below providing you with information. Please note that these statistics are for teaching staff only and do not represent education-based employees as a whole.

	2015/16	2016/17	2017/18
Proven	12	10	23
Unfounded	60	61	52
Malicious	0	3	2
Total	72	74	77