From: <u>Freedom Of Information</u>

To:

Subject: RE: [OFFICIAL] - FW: Bullying complaints FoI

Date: 29 September 2021 18:19:29

In response to your FOI request, reference FOI-318, UKAD can confirm that in 2019, 2020 and 2021:

- 1. Zero civil servants have made complaints that they have been bullied by another civil servant/staff member: and
- 2. Zero civil servants/staff have faced civil service disciplinary investigations as a result of a bullying claim made against them by a civil servant.

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Kind regards UKAD

Sent: 24 August 2021 14:39

Subject: Bullying complaints Fol

Dear Freedom of Information Officer, I am writing to request information under the Freedom of Information Act.

I am looking for information about bullying complaints made by civil servants. Please could you provide me with the following:

- 1. How many civil servants have made complaints that they have been bullied by another civil servant/staff member in the last three calendar years (up to and including August 2021)? To be clear, I'm asking for information for 2019, 2020 and 2021. Please could you break this information down by year and gender.
- 2. How many civil servants/staff have faced civil service disciplinary investigations as a result of an accusation of bullying made against them by a civil servant in the last three calendar years (up to and including August 2021)? Please could you break this information down by year, gender. In each case, please could you state whether any misconduct was found and, if so, what type of disciplinary action was taken including verbal/written/final warnings, suspension, dismissal etc.

I would be grateful if you could confirm in writing that you have received this request, and I look forward to hearing from you in the near future. Yours faithfully,

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