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Please ask for:** Information Governance
and Compliance
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Our ref: 054_1920
Dyddiad/Date: 03/06/2019

RE: Request for Information held by SWFRS

Your request ref: **054_1920** has been dealt with under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

You asked us:

A) How many non-disclosure agreements has your fire and rescue service agreed in each of the calendar years of, 2015, 2016, 2017, 2018 & 2019 (as much info as possible)? Please provide individual figures per year. Please also provide reasons for the agreements being agreed where possible (e.g. 2 whistle-blower complaints). Please provide the total number of NDAs but also the different types of NDA agreements (e.g. whistle-blower complaint/ / sexual harassment complaint etc.). Please make clear if the agreements concern commercial companies rather than employees. As this figure is less than 10 we are unable to provide the exact number as it may be identifiable to individuals

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B) Please provide the total amount of financial compensation awarded as part of these agreements for the entirety of this period in £. The total sum of payments made for compromise eg. Along with a breakdown of the money paid out each year.

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If you have any queries regarding your Freedom of Information request, please contact us at 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 Manager
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
Information Governance and Compliance

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