

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION AND SKILLS FOR 2016 IN ACCORDANCE WITH SECTION 22 OF THE PROTECTED DISCLOSURES ACT 2014

Under Section 22 of the Protected Disclosures Act, 2014 each public body is required to publish an annual report setting out the number of protected disclosures received in the preceding year and the action taken (if any). This report must not result in persons making disclosures being identifiable.

This is the second annual report of the Department of Education and Skills and it covers the period 1 January 2016 to 31 December 2016.

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