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**Freedom of Information Request - Reference No: 20182165**

**REQUEST**

1. How many sexual offences were recorded by your force at schools during the last three full calendar years,
2. Please could I have the information broken down for 2015, 2016, 2017 and any information you have for 2018

**RESPONSE**

The enclosed 'dataset' has been provided by our Data Returns Officer from our two Crime Management Systems – CMS and Connect, which are used to record complaints or allegations of those matters, which the Home Office specify should be recorded as 'crimes'.

(CMS - our legacy system provides data up to 4th December 2017 and our new CONNECT system which records crimes from that date onwards).

*Please note data from the new system cannot be used as a direct comparison due to the different ways in which crimes are recorded. However, the data has been given to comply with the request and to show any outline trend.*