

Sexual Misconduct

16 May 2022

Request for Information.

Thank you for your request received on 29 April in which you asked:

As of 28 April 2022, how many Members of the Senedd are currently under investigation for sexual misconduct or sexual harassment?

We hold no recorded information in relation to your request.

The Senedd Commissioner for Standards is an independent and impartial provider of advice on any matter of principle relating to conduct of Members of the Senedd, and is an independent investigator of complaints alleging that Members of the Senedd have breached any Code, Protocol or resolution of the Senedd.

Whilst the Senedd is a public authority under the Freedom of Information Act, the Standards Commissioner is not. As such, he is under no legal obligation to provide the information. However, you may be interested in the **Annual Reports** which are available on the Standards Commissioner's website.

Yours sincerely

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Cause for concern or complaint with your FOI response?

If you are dissatisfied with the Welsh Parliament's handling of your request, you can request an internal review within 40 working days of the date of this response. Requests for an internal review should be addressed to the Freedom of Information Manager at:

Information-request@senedd.wales or in writing to

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