Ref. No: 1675 Date: 11<sup>th</sup> April

Subject: NDAs and Settlement Agreements

## **REQUEST**

For the period 1 April 2024 to 31 March 2025:

- 1. How many Non-Disclosure Agreements (NDAs), also referred to as confidentiality clauses were signed with staff (current or former) by your organisation?
- 2. Of those NDAs, how many were part of settlement agreements related to:
  - a) Complaints of bullying or harassment
  - b) Complaints of discrimination (on any protected characteristic)
  - c) Whistleblowing
  - d) Other reasons (please specify if possible)

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- 3. What was the total amount of money paid out in settlement agreements that contained NDAs?
- 4. What is the highest individual settlement amount paid in this period as part of a settlement agreement that contained an NDA?

Please include any available breakdowns by department, staff role, or type of claim where possible.

## **RESPONSE**

We do not use NDA's at MWL