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Dear Linda

RE: Freedom of Information Request 416 – Staff Safeguarding

Thank you for your information request of 26th January 2022 in relation to Staff Safeguarding. Having considered your request and consulted with relevant colleagues our response is now detailed below.

1. Please provide a copy of the College's policy on staff safeguarding;

A copy of the New College Lanarkshire Safeguarding policy has been attached. This policy applies to staff and students.

2. Please confirm how many staff safeguarding concerns have been formally raised within the College, including in relation to the assigned college, South Lanarkshire College, and how these have been addressed.

No staff safeguarding concerns have been formally raised within the College.

If you are unhappy at the way in which the College has considered your request, or the decision we have taken with regarding to releasing information, you may request that we review our decision-making processes by writing to Ann Baxter, Deputy Principal at ann.baxter@nclan.ac.uk. If you remain dissatisfied following a request for an internal review, you are entitled to appeal our decision to the Scottish Information Commissioner. The Commissioner has launched an online appeals process and the relevant information can be found here: <http://www.itspublicknowledge.info/appeal>.

On receipt of the outcome of any appeal to the Scottish Information Commissioner, a further appeal against the decision of the Commissioner may be made (on points of law only) to the Court of Session, under Section 56 of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me by emailing foi@nclan.ac.uk.

Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Officer

New College Lanarkshire