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Re: Freedom of Information Request

Thank you for your email of 23rd January 2015, which has been passed to our team to respond to as a request for information. You made the following request:

I understand that when a Section 25 (Children's Act) welfare order is made, CAFCASS will appoint a Children's Guardian. Would you collate the number of times this has happened? If so, would you be able to provide us with this data for the last three years and this year to date?

This includes the number of orders and breakdown of types following Section 25 applications.

Please see the attached document for our response.

We hope that you feel your question has been answered effectively. If you are unhappy with the decisions made in relation to your request, you may ask for an internal review to be undertaken. If you are dissatisfied with the way the internal review is handled or with the final decision made at that review about the information released, you are free to contact the Information Commissioner's office (www.informationcommissioner.gov.uk):

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Yours sincerely,

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