



Reference: FOI0340

**Request:**

I require the following information for the periods: 1st Sept to 31st August 2014/15, 2015/16, 2016/17 and 2017/18.

1. Your LEA's total budget for SEND provisions
2. The amount spent by your LEA on SENDIST casework. This should include any money spent preparing for, or during SEND tribunals.
3. The amount of money allocated to internal counsel for SENDIST casework.
4. The amount of money spent on external legal advice for SENDIST casework.
5. Where external legal advice was used please state the name of the contracted company and how much it was paid.

**Response:**

1. Send provision budgets included in attached file "FOI0340 - SEND provision 14-15 to 17-18.xlsx"
2. Information not held at this level.
3. Internal counsel is provided without being allocated to individual cases.
4. There has been no use of external counsel for these cases for the years in question
5. Not applicable

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