

## **Courts Service – Protected Disclosure Annual Report - 2016**

Section 22 of the <u>Protected Disclosures Act 2014</u> requires the publication of an Annual Report relating to (a) the number of Protected Disclosures received in the preceding year and (b) any actions taken in response to the Protected Disclosures made.

- (a) **One report** was received under the Protected Disclosure Act in 2016.
- (b) An investigation was undertaken and the report was deemed not to be a **Protected Disclosure** within the meaning of the legislation.