

Response from Northern Ireland Courts & Tribunals Service – 4 August 2021

Clarita,

I have just received a response to the effect that as an Agency of the Department we do not routinely respond on such matters given our involvement at development and implementation phases of such legislation.

I don't know if that counts as simply a 'nil' with the line above as an explanation for the 'nil' response

Regards,  
Ian

NICTS Assembly Team

**From:** Assembly Team [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** 29 July 2021 09:25  
**To:** +SM\_CO-Justice\_SexualTrafficBill  
<[JusticeSexualOffencesandTraffickingVictimsBill@niassembly.gov.uk](mailto:JusticeSexualOffencesandTraffickingVictimsBill@niassembly.gov.uk)>  
**Subject:** RE: Justice (Sexual Offences and Trafficking Victims) Bill

I acknowledge receipt of your email and attachment.

Can you please confirm if NICTS has to respond to this, even if we have nothing to add?

For your information, I would also confirm that Peter Luney is no longer the Chief Operating Officer of NICTS and has been succeeded by Mark Goodfellow [REDACTED]

Regards,  
Ian

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<[JusticeSexualOffencesandTraffickingVictimsBill@niassembly.gov.uk](mailto:JusticeSexualOffencesandTraffickingVictimsBill@niassembly.gov.uk)> **Sent:**  
28 July 2021 16:55  
**To:** Luney, Peter (Courts) [REDACTED] Assembly Team  
[REDACTED]  
**Subject:** Justice (Sexual Offences and Trafficking Victims) Bill

Please see attached Call for Evidence on the Justice (Sexual Offences and Trafficking Victims) Bill – issued on behalf of the Committee for Justice.

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