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**To:** "Staite, Ellie" <[REDACTED]>

Thank you Ellie,

The answer to Question 4 seems unclear, and not clearly complete:

***"4. What action did the NGO take in response to these qualifying disclosures by Freedom To Speak Up Guardians (or Freedom To Speak Up 'champions', 'ambassadors' or equivalent)?***

*As per our report, the NGO took a range of actions in response to the qualifying disclosures received, including:*

- Initiated a case review, providing information on how a referral for a case review could be made, or explaining the case review process contacted the enquirer to obtain further information*
- Signposted the worker to other sources of advice or guidance, or to an appropriate regulator, authority or body*
- Contacted a trust to seek clarification and assurance about their speaking up arrangements*
- Raised a safeguarding alert with the relevant authorities and bodies"*

Can NGO:

1) Confirm that its response to Question 4 relates only to the 18 disclosures received from Freedom To Speak Up Guardians, Champions, Ambassadors or equivalent, and NOT to disclosures from other NHS staff?

2) Please give a table of ALL the actions taken by the NGO in response to the 18 qualifying disclosures from Freedom To Speak Up Guardians, Champions, Ambassadors or equivalent, including any cases in which no action was taken.

Many thanks,

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