

7 March 2025

Dear

## **ATISN 24350 – Accidents**

### **Information requested**

Thank you for your request which I received on 10th February 2025. You asked for:

- Data we hold on trips, slips and falls at historic sites which have resulted in injuries reported to our staff, plus those which have occurred on unstaffed sites, between January 1st 2015 and January 1st 2025.
- Injuries sustained as a result of defective staircases, between January 1st 2015 to January 1st 2025.
- Injuries sustained from falling masonry or other materials, between January 1st 2015 to January 1st 2025.
- Injuries sustained from trappings in doors and other features with which visitors come into contact with, between January 1st 2015 to January 1st 2025.

### **Our response**

The information you requested is attached to this email.

Please note that we do not hold accident records that predate 2017.

We have no reports that specifically reference defective steps. Steps across our sites can be naturally ruinous, steep and narrow, however we would not classify them as defective. All falls are recorded under the slip, trip and fall data enclosed.

We have no reports of injuries as a result of falling masonry or other materials.

We have no reports of injuries as a result of trappings in doors and other features in which visitors come into contact with.

### **Next steps**

If you are dissatisfied with the Welsh Government's handling of your request, you can ask for an internal review within 40 working days of the date of this response. Requests for an internal review should be addressed to the Welsh Government's Freedom of Information Officer at:

Information Rights Unit,  
Welsh Government,  
Cathays Park,

Cardiff,  
CF10 3NQ

or Email: [Freedom.ofinformation@gov.wales](mailto:Freedom.ofinformation@gov.wales)

Please remember to quote the ATISN reference number above.

You also have the right to complain to the Information Commissioner. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

However, please note that the Commissioner will not normally investigate a complaint until it has been through our own internal review process.

Yours sincerely,