



# UNIVERSITY *of* LIMERICK

O L L S C O I L L U I M N I G H

## **ANNUAL PROTECTED DISCLOSURES REPORT FOR 2018**

1. Section 22 of the Protected Disclosures Act, 2014 requires each public body subject to the Act to publish an annual report setting out the number of protected disclosures received in the preceding year and the action taken (if any). It is important that such a report does not identify the individuals making the protected disclosures.
2. This Annual Protected Disclosures Report of the University of Limerick covers the period of January to December 2018.
  - 2.1 During a previous period the University received three submissions under Section 6 of the Protected Disclosures Act, 2014. The three submissions were received from an employee of the University and were paused prior to the commencement of an assessment. The submissions were reactivated in the period under review and are being considered by a Protected Disclosures Group established in accordance with the University's Protected Disclosures Policy & Procedures. The Protected Disclosures Group's work was on-going as at end December 2018.
  - 2.2 The University received a further submission under Section 6 of the Protected Disclosures Act, 2014 from two employees of the University. A Protected Disclosures Group was established in accordance with the University's Protected Disclosures Policy & Procedures and its work was on-going at the end of the period to which this Report relates.

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