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Thank you for your 23 August 2018 email to the Ministry of Education requesting the following information about *Advanced Classroom Expertise Teacher (ACET)*:

1. *For 2017 ACET, how many candidates had previously submitted portfolios in 2016 or other years?*
2. *For 2017 ACET, how many candidates who had previously submitted portfolios from other years had their portfolios confirmed?*
3. *For 2018 ACET, how many candidates had previously submitted portfolios in 2017 or other years?*

Your request has been considered under the Official Information Act 1982 (the Act).

**1. For 2017 ACET, how many candidates had previously submitted portfolios in 2016 or other years?**

In 2017, 12 teachers submitted a portfolio who had also submitted a portfolio in a previous round or rounds.

- Two teachers had submitted a portfolio in 2016, 2015 and 2014.
- Two teachers had submitted a portfolio in 2015.
- The remaining eight teachers submitted a portfolio in 2016.

**2. For 2017 ACET, how many candidates who had previously submitted portfolios from other years had their portfolios confirmed?**

In 2017, six teachers who submitted a portfolio in a previous round or rounds had their portfolios confirmed.

- One submitted a portfolio in 2016, 2015 and 2014.
- One submitted a portfolio in 2015.
- The remaining four submitted their portfolios in 2016.

**3. For 2018 ACET, how many candidates had previously submitted portfolios in 2017 or other years?**

In 2018, 13 teachers submitted a portfolio who had done so in previous years.

- One of those teachers also submitted a portfolio in 2016, 2015 and 2014
- The remaining 12 submitted their portfolios in 2017.

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Yours sincerely



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