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SEXUAL OFFENCES RECORDED BY THE POLICE IN 2019-20.

**THIS IS THE HIGHEST
FIGURE SINCE 1998-99.**

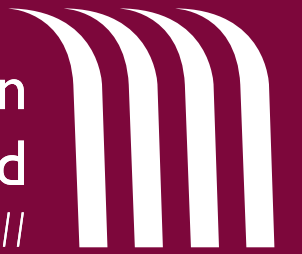


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PPS RECEIVED

1,684 FILES

**INVOLVING A SEXUAL
OFFENCE IN 2019-20.**

**THIS IS AN INCREASE OF
5.6% ON 2018-19 (1,594).**



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BETWEEN
1 DECEMBER 2019 -
30 NOVEMBER 2020
**REPORTED
SEXUAL OFFENCES
DECREASED BY 6.6%
(229 OFFENCES).**

