

A breakdown relating to OAIC vexatious declaration applications for financial year (1 July 2020 to 26 February 2021) and for each calendar year:

	No. of 89K applications received	No. of 89K applications declared (granted)	No. of 89K applications declined (not granted)
Financial year (1 July 2020 to 26 February 2021)	1	2	1
Calendar year 2020 (1 January 2020 to 31 December 2020)	3	2	1
Calendar year 2021 (1 January 2021 to 26 February 2021)	0	1	0

The Information Commissioner may declare a person to be a vexatious applicant, either on the Commissioner's own initiative or on the application of an agency or minister (s 89K). A declaration has effect in accordance with the terms and conditions stated in the declaration (s 89M).

A list of current Vexatious applicant declarations is available on our website:

<https://www.oaic.gov.au/freedom-of-information/information-commissioner-decisions/vexatious-applicant-declarations/>.

The OAIC FOI Guidelines provide further examples of where the Commissioner has considered, and decided not to, make a vexatious declaration: <https://www.oaic.gov.au/freedom-of-information/foi-guidelines/part-12-vexatious-applicant-declarations/#a-particular-access-action-that-would-be-manifestly-unreasonable>.