



STATEMENT

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STATEMENT FROM THE OFFICE FOR JUDICIAL COMPLAINTS

MRS SANDRA CADE

A spokesperson for the Office for Judicial Complaints said:

“Mrs Cade, a magistrate appointed to the Birmingham Bench, has not, in recent years, fulfilled the minimum sittings requirements. Furthermore, she has failed to keep in contact with the court, with the result that arrangements could not be made to discuss her possible return to the Bench. In the circumstances, the Lord Chief Justice and the Lord Chancellor have agreed that Mrs Cade should be removed from the magistracy.”

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