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ASSAULT ALLEGATIONS BY TRAINEES

NATURE OF THE INCIDENT:

- Two female trainees have alleged they have been assaulted, possibly indecently, by a male trainee at a Navy training establishment.
- One of the female trainees is under the age of 18.

THE DATE AND TIME OF THE INCIDENT:

- The incident is alleged to have occurred over the period 26 – 28 April 2013, however it was only reported to Command on 29 April 2013.

ACTIONS CURRENTLY UNDERWAY:

- The matter is now being investigated by the ADF Investigative Service.
- The trainees have been accommodated in separate locations pending the outcome of the investigation.
- All trainees are receiving divisional, legal and medical support and the mother of the under 18 trainee has been contacted.

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