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Out of the total number of times the offence of coercive and controlling behaviour was recorded between December 2015 and 31 March 2018, where victims age was 16 or 17 year old (as in question 2), how many were assigned the following outcomes: Charged / Summoned / Caution, Out of court disposal (formal and informal), Prosecution prevented, Not in the public interest (police), Not in the public interest (CPS), Evidential difficulties (suspect not identified, victim does not support action), Evidential difficulties (suspect identified, victim supports action), Evidential difficulties (suspect identified, victim does not support action), Investigation complete - no suspect identified, Action undertaken by another body / agency, Further investigation to support formal action not in the public interest, Offences not yet assigned an outcome (incomplete / ongoing)

Outcome Description	Total
CHARGE OR SUMMONS	3
CHARGE/SUMMONS WITH ALTERNATIVE OFFENCE	2
EVIDENTIAL DIFFICULTIES VICTIM BASED - NAMED SUSPECT NOT IDENTIFIED: THE CRIME IS CONFIRMED BUT THE VICTIM EITHER DECLINES OR IS UNABLE TO SUPPORT FURTHER POLICE INVESTGATION TO IDENTIFY THE OFFENDER	1
INVESTIGATION COMPLETE: NO SUSPECT IDENTIFIED. CRIME INVESTGATED AS FAR AS REASONABLY POSSIBLE - CASE CLOSED PENDING FURTHER INVESTIGATIVE OPPORTUNITIES BECOMING AVAILABLE	1
NAMED SUSPECT IDENTIFIED: EVIDENTIAL DIFFICULTIES PREVENT FURTHER ACTION: VICTIM DOES NOT SUPPORT (OR HAS WITHDRAWN SUPPORT FROM) POLICE ACTION	14
NAMED SUSPECT IDENTIFIED: VICTIM SUPPORTS POLICE ACTION BUT EVIDENTIAL DIFFICULTIES PREVENT FURTHER ACTION	9
POSTAL CHARGE	2
NOT STATED	1
Total	33