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Research reveals impact of religious discrimination on NI teachers

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NSS warns of growing threat from religious anti-RSE campaigners

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Saif ul Malook, a lawyer who defended a woman accused of blasphemy in Pakistan, has been named the NSS's Secularist of the Year. [Read More »](#)

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The NSS has welcomed a commitment to inclusion in an updated school inspection framework for 2019 from the education watchdog Ofsted. [Read More »](#)

NSS welcomes Home Office review of asylum decision-making process

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The government has said it is reviewing its "decision making" amid concerns about its use of theological justifications in asylum policy. [Read More »](#)

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