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Request:

The number of call-outs made by the fire service to fires believed to have been started by self-balancing scooters (also known as hover boards) in 2013, 2014, 2015 and January 2016? (Please could I have the figures broken down by month for 2015)? In the call-outs above, how many involved a person being physically injured in the fire.

Response:

Tyne and Wear Fire and Rescue Service have not attended any fires involving self – balancing scooters / hover boards between 2013 and January 2016.

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