



Daily Mail - £23,000 for teacher who slipped in puddle (Page 3, 27 May 2014)

Who is anyone to assume that a compensation claim must be 'spurious'?

When a judge in a court of law rules that an injured person should be compensated it means that negligence has been proven and the injury could and should have been avoided. A case would not succeed as a result of an unforeseen mishap. Damages are carefully calculated according to how much it would take to put the injured person's life back on track as much as possible, and not a penny more. That is what they are for.

Headlines and statistics do not paint the full picture of an injury, the suffering, the circumstances, or what is needed to put it right and ensure the same mistakes are not made again.

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