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Dear

Freedom of Information Act Request

I am writing in response to your e-mail of the 15th July 2024. Your request has been processed using the Trust's procedures for the disclosure of information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000).

Requested information:

We are currently conducting an independent review of the way public funds are spent in relation to flexible labour. Therefore, under the Freedom of Information Act we kindly request that you provide the following information:

- What type of agency arrangement/ agreement do you currently have in place for the provision of AHP's, Doctor's and Nursing i.e. Preferred Supplier List/ Master Vend:
 - AHP – arrangement/ agreement type. **N/A**
 - Doctor – arrangement/ agreement type. **Retinue contact HTE framework agencies on the Trust behalf to book**
 - Nursing – arrangement/ agreement type. **Mastervend**
- Who is the arrangement/ agreement in place with:
 - AHP – Provider Name(s). **N/A**
 - Doctor – Provider Name(s). **Retinue**
 - Nursing – Provider Name(s). **Day Webster**
- For each of the above staffing categories, when is the arrangement/ agreement up for renewal and how do you intend to come to market:
 - AHP – Renewal Date/ Route to Market. **N/A**
 - Doctor – Renewal Date/ Route to Market. **10/10/2024**
 - Nursing – Renewal Date/ Route to Market. **31/10/2025**

If you are dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review of the management of your request. Internal review requests should be submitted within two months of the date of receipt of the response to your original letter and should be addressed to: Dr Buki Adeyemo, Chief Executive, North Staffordshire Combined Healthcare Trust, Trust Headquarters, Lawton House, Bellringer Road, Trentham, ST4 8HH. If you are not content with the outcome of the internal review, you have the right to apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision.



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Yours sincerely



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