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Dear

Freedom of Information Act Request

I am writing in response to your e-mail of the 25th September 2023. Your request has been processed using the Trust's procedures for the disclosure of information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000).

Requested information:

1. Which software provider does the Trust use for junior doctor's rotas (e.g., DRS, RLDATIX, PatchWork etc) **This contract has now expired, and the Trust is in the process of looking to procure a new Junior Doctor rota system. We have previously used Allocate eRota.**
2. What was the annual cost for the Trust's current junior doctor's rotas software in the last FY? **£4,112**
3. What is the contractual end date of your current junior doctor's rotas software? **N/A – Contract has already expired.**
4. Which software provider does the Trust use for medics rostering (e.g., Skills for Health, RLDATIX, PatchWork, HealthRota, RotaMap, Liaison, RotaGeek etc)? **The Trust does not have a Rostering system for medical staff.**
5. What was the annual cost for the Trust's current medics rostering software in the last FY? **N/A**
6. What is the contractual end date of your current medics rostering software? **N/A**

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.

The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office,
Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF.

Yours sincerely

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