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Dear

### Freedom of Information Act Request

I am writing in response to your e-mail of the 25<sup>th</sup> February 2025. 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. How many roles did you recruit via international recruitment during the period August 2024 to January 2025? **0**

Please provide a further breakdown by:

- Number of Nurses including banding. **N/A**
- Number of Doctors including grades. **N/A**
- Number of AHP including banding. **N/A**

2. Of these hires made please confirm the number of hires made using a recruitment agency. **N/A**

Please provide a further breakdown by:

- Number of Nurses including banding. **N/A**
- Number of Doctors including grades. **N/A**
- Number of AHP including banding. **N/A**

Of the agencies used, please confirm:

- Which agency was used for the hire. **N/A**
- Which framework was utilised for the hire. **N/A**
- Please include non-framework agencies also. **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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