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Dear

Freedom of Information Act Request

I am writing in response to your e-mail of the 6th August 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:

Under the Freedom of Information Act, I would like to request the following information:

- All email correspondence between staff at North Staffordshire Combined Healthcare NHS Trust and staff at the Diocese of Lichfield (anyone with an email address ending with @lichfield.anglican.org) between Aug 1, 2023, and Aug 1, 2025. None
 - If possible (provided it does not exceed the cost limit or the time limit of 20 working days), could you also provide:
- All emails from staff at North Staffordshire Combined Healthcare NHS Trust that mention the terms "exorcism", "exorcisms", "exorcist", "exorcists", and "deliverance" between Aug 1, 2023, and Aug 1, 2025. **None**

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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