

Freedom of Information Request

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Information Requested:

We would be grateful if you could help in answering our request for information for the following questions; answering for A-F on questions 1-8.

1. Please name all the IT resellers that you have contacts with and buy from
 - a. Photocopiers/MFDs (Multi-Functional Device)
 - b. Printers
 - c. Print room / reprographic
 - d. Desktops
 - e. Laptops
 - f. Displays
2. What is the length of the contracts, more specifically their end date, with the named IT resellers in question 1
 - a. Photocopiers/MFDs (Multi-Functional Device)
 - b. Printers
 - c. Print room / reprographic
 - d. Desktops
 - e. Laptops
 - f. Displays
3. What year and month is the next hardware refresh due?
 - a. Photocopiers/MFDs (Multi-Functional Device)
 - b. Printers
 - c. Print room / reprographic
 - d. Desktops
 - e. Laptops
 - f. Displays
4. Please name the number of devices deployed by the University?
 - a. Photocopiers/MFDs (Multi-Functional Device)
 - b. Printers
 - c. Print room / reprographic
 - d. Desktops
 - e. Laptops
 - f. Displays

5. In reply to question 4, which department/facility are those located?
 - a. Photocopiers/MFDs (Multi-Functional Device)
 - b. Printers
 - c. Print room / reprographic
 - d. Desktops
 - e. Laptops
 - f. Displays

 6. Please name the brand and model of the devices mentioned and the spend for each product.
 - a. Photocopiers/MFDs (Multi-Functional Device)
 - b. Printers
 - c. Print room / reprographic
 - d. Desktops
 - e. Laptops
 - f. Displays

 7. Details on how these were procured. i.e. By Framework i. Procurement method ii. If Framework, please state which one.
 - a. Photocopiers/MFDs (Multi-Functional Device)
 - b. Printers
 - c. Print room / reprographic
 - d. Desktops
 - e. Laptops
 - f. Displays

 8. Do you normally purchase equipment as services or as a capital?
 - a. Photocopiers/MFDs (Multi-Functional Device)
 - b. Printers
 - c. Print room / reprographic
 - d. Desktops
 - e. Laptops
 - f. Displays

 9. What is your annual print/copy volume and spend?

 10. Who is the person(s) within your organization responsible for the MFD's, print hardware, and supplies contract(s)? Please provide their title and their contact details.

 11. Who is responsible for purchasing end user devices such as laptops, desktops, displays and accessories? Please provide their title, and their contact details
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