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Dear Shannon Williams.

## Freedom of information request

I am writing in response to your request for information which has been handled under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

I would be most grateful if you would provide me, under the Freedom of Information Act, the following information regarding your <u>facilities management approach</u>:

• Which software solution is used to manage your Premise Assurance Model (if any) and who is your current supplier? We do not use any software for our PAMs.

If so,

- What is the start date and duration of the contract?
- Is there an extension clause in the contract and, if so, what is the duration?
- Has a decision been made yet on whether the contract will be extended or renewed?
- What is the annual value of the contract?
- How was the contract procured, e.g., framework/tender?
- Who is the senior officer (outside of procurement) responsible for the contract?

I hope this information is helpful, but if you are unhappy with our response, or the way in which your request has been handled, you may request an independent internal review. This would be undertaken by an appropriate senior member of staff at the Trust, who

were not involved in dealing with your original request. We aim to deal with internal reviews within 20 working days following receipt. If you wish to request one, please set out your grounds for asking for the review in writing and send it by post or email:

By post: Please address your letter to "Freedom of Information – Information

Access Appeal" and send it to our address as shown on this letter.

By Email: Emails should be clearly marked 'Information access appeal' and sent

to: sash.foi@nhs.net.

Should you remain dissatisfied following an internal review, you would have the right to appeal to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO). However, I should point out that under section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act, you are obliged to exhaust the Trust's own internal review process before appealing to the ICO. The ICO's contact details are:

Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow

Wilmslow Tel: 0303 123 1113 Cheshire <a href="http://ico.org.uk">http://ico.org.uk</a>

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We would also welcome your feedback on how well we met your expectations in handling your FOIA request. If you have a couple of minutes, please click on this <u>link</u> to complete our Freedom of Information Customer Satisfaction Survey and let us know about your experience. The survey is anonymous – unless you choose to provide your reference number.

Please contact me, quoting our reference, if you have any queries concerning this letter and I will be happy to help.

Yours sincerely

Jeanette Randall FOI Officer