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Date: 5th April 2022
Your Ref:
Our Ref: FOI Req 103-2022

Enquiries to: Information Governance Manager
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Dear Sirs,

Request for information under the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002

Further to your recent enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act, received on 7 March 2022 please find our response below. In your request you asked for the following information:

Q1 How many British Muslim employees have you recruited? Please provide figures for every year since 2010.

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Due to the small numbers involved we are unable to breakdown further as it is felt that to give any more detailed information would potentially identify individuals.

Q2 What is the average length of service?

A2 2.15

Q3 How many British Muslims have you employed in communications/media roles since 2010?

A3 0

If you are dissatisfied with the way NHS Western Isles has dealt with your request, you have a right to request a review of our actions and decisions in relation to your request within 40 working days and we will respond within 20 working days of its receipt. For this review you should write to Information Governance Manager, NHS Western Isles, 37 South Beach, Stornoway Isle of Lewis, HS1 2BB stating clearly why you wish a review to be carried out.

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If, following the outcome of a request for review, you are still dissatisfied you have the right to make an application for a decision by the Scottish Information Commissioner under section 47(1) of the Freedom of Information (Scotland) Act 2002 within 6 months of receiving the response to review letter. The Commissioner can be contacted at Kinburn Castle, Doubledykes Road, St Andrews, Fife, KY16 9DS or by telephone on 01334 464610 or via the website www.itspublicknowledge.info/Appeal.

If you have any further queries regarding this response please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely



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