

18 March 2021

A.G Emmanuel

By email

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Dear Mr Emmanuel

Request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (the “FOI Act”)

We refer to your email of 25 February 2021 in which you requested information under the FOI Act from NHS Improvement. Since 1 April 2016, Monitor and the NHS Trust Development Authority have been operating as an integrated organisation known as NHS Improvement. For the purposes of this decision, NHS Improvement means Monitor and the TDA.

Your request

You made the following request:

“I’d like to request some information in regards to the following services.

Listed Services:

- a) Laundry equipment supply, maintenance and install.*
- b) Fire equipment supply, maintenance and install and provision of Fire Risk Assessments / consultancy.*
- c) HVAC equipment supply, maintenance and install.*

1) Please confirm your annual spend for the listed services showing a breakdown of contract value and any additional ad-hoc spend for the previous 3 years.

2) Please confirm where services have been won through a tender or bid process or awarded via framework.

i) Please confirm the incumbent supplier and expected retender date.

ii) Please confirm the portal or tender forum you advertise/promote such works through.

3) Please confirm the name and contact details of the person responsible for procurement of the above services.”

Decision

NHS Improvement does not hold the information that you have requested.

NHS Improvement is not responsible for directly procuring, installing or the ongoing maintenance of any of the above systems in offices that our staff occupy. Where they do exist in offices occupied by NHS Improvement the supply, maintenance and installation is the responsibility of the landlord.

Some of the information you seek may be held by the Department of Health and Social Care (DHSC). Contacts details of DHSC can be found via the link below:

<https://www.gov.uk/make-a-freedom-of-information-request>

Review rights

If you consider that your request for information has not been properly handled or if you are otherwise dissatisfied with the outcome of your request, you may seek an internal review within NHS Improvement of the issue or the decision. A senior member of NHS Improvement's staff, who has not previously been involved with your request, will undertake that review.

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of any internal review, you may complain to the Information Commissioner for a decision on whether your request for information has been dealt with in accordance with the FOI Act.

A request for an internal review should be submitted in writing to FOI Request Reviews, NHS Improvement, Skipton House, 80 London Road, London SE1 6LH or by email to nhsi.foi@nhs.net.

Publication

We reserve the right to publish this letter on our website. This is because information disclosed in accordance with the FOI Act is disclosed to the public at large. We will, of course, remove your personal information (e.g. your name and contact details) from any version of the letter published on our website to protect your personal information from general disclosure.

Yours sincerely,

NHS Improvement