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Email:

Dear,

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I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI 220835.

You requested the following information, please also see our response below:

- 1. What is the name of your organisation?**
South East Coast Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust
- 2. How many employees are at your organisation?**
Trust headcount (excluding bank workers): 4281 at 31 Jul 22.
- 3. How many mobile phone and mobile broadband (data only) connections do you currently have in total?**
Vodafone – Voice Only: 2529 Voice & Data: 818 Data Only: 42
O2 – Voice Only: 115 Voice & Data: 3 Data Only: 1624
EE – Voice Only 58 (plus an SMS service)
Comm-Tech – Voice Only: 112
Wireless Logic - Data Only: 671 (MDT)
Three – Data Only: 3150
- 4. How many of these are data only (for laptops and tablets)?**
Tablets and MDT, see above answer.
- 5. How many of these are voice and data (for mobile phones)?**
See above answer, number 3.
- 6. Who is your mobile phone network provider?**
See above answer, number 3.
- 7. Do you have a shared data bundle or individual allowances?**
Vodafone – shared data (250MB V+D / 5GB + 10GB Data only)
O2 – shared data (2GB)
Three – shared data (5GB)
Wireless Logic – 15MB per SIM

8. What is your organisations average total data usage across all connections?

No time scale specified, assumed 1 month, August 2022.

Vodafone: 645GB

O2: 1290GB

Three: 5468GB

Wireless Logic: not recorded, each SIM has a 15MB monthly data bundle so a possible maximum of 465MB per month for all SIM cards.

9. What was your total spend on mobile phone contract and overage costs in April 2021?

10. What was your total spend on mobile phone contract and overage costs in May 2021?

11. What was your total spend on mobile phone contract and overage costs in June 2021?

12. What was your total spend on mobile phone contract and overage costs in July 2021?

13. What was your total spend on mobile phone contract and overage costs in August 2021?

14. What was your total spend on mobile phone contract and overage costs in September 2021?

15. What was your total spend on mobile phone contract and overage costs in October 2021?

16. What was your total spend on mobile phone contract and overage costs in November 2021?

17. What was your total spend on mobile phone contract and overage costs in December 2021?

18. What was your total spend on mobile phone contract and overage costs in January 2022?

19. What was your total spend on mobile phone contract and overage costs in February 2022?

20. What was your total spend on mobile phone contract and overage costs in March 2022?

Information will take too long to break down into individual months, this is the average spend for financial year 2021/22.

Telefonica/O2: £393994.27 per annum

Vodafone: £243340.76 per annum

EE: £17720.08 per annum

Comm-Tech: £2551.37 per annum

Wireless Logic: £64832 per annum

Three – new service, centrally funded by NHS

21. Do these numbers include VAT?

Yes

22. When did you renew your mobile phone contract?

Vodafone – July 2022
O2 – expired, rolling
EE – expired, rolling
Comm-Tech – expired, rolling
Wireless Logic: expired, rolling
Three – new contract, May 2021

23. How long does your contract run for?

Vodafone – 3 years
O2 – 2 years
EE – 2 years
Comm-Tech – 2 years
Wireless Logic – 2 years
Three – 3 years

24. What is the renewal date of your contract?

Vodafone – July 2025
O2 – expired, rolling
EE – expired, rolling
Comm-Tech – expired, rolling
Wireless Logic – expired, rolling
Three – May 2024

25. How did you source your contract?

Vodafone – framework
O2 – Tender
EE – direct engagement
Comm-Tech – direct engagement
Wireless Logic – engagement via Comm-Tech
Three – new contract, May 2021

26. What is the value of your hardware/technology/transformation fund provided with the contract (if none provided please mark as n/a)

Vodafone – to be confirmed
O2 – n/a
EE – n/a
Comm-Tech – n/a
Wireless Logic - n/a
Three – n/a

27. Who is the shareholder/primary contact for this contract?

Withholding information under data protection.

I hope you find this information of some assistance.

If for any reason you are dissatisfied with our response, kindly in the first instance contact Caroline Smart, Head of Information Governance via the following email address:

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Yours sincerely

**Freedom of Information Coordinator
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