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Dear,

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I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI 230701.

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

**Dear South East Coast Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust,**

**In relation to Safe Space and the Night Safety Marshals services that operate in Brighton can you provide me with the following please?**

We have not utilised the mentioned service for an extended period of time. As a result, we do not transport patients there due to the absence of established governance measures.

**- The aims of these services to include what the benefits are and how it is meant to prevent strain on statutory services such as the NHS, the Ambulance Service and the Police.**

When the system was previously employed, it resulted in a reduction of hospital conveyances, leading to decreased job cycle times and improved turnaround times. These positive outcomes were observed.

**- What has the benefit been to the services mentioned above, the night time economy and wider community? Has it reduced the burden of the Night Time Economy on those services?**

We do not possess the information you are requesting at this time.

**- How are the services are commissioned, who commissions them (I.e who pays the bill) as well as which organisations contribute to this and how this is arranged (I do NOT need any figures or financial details around costings).**

We do not possess the information you are requesting at this time.

**- Any meeting minutes where these services have had decisions made about them and what these were.**

We do not maintain any minutes pertaining to the subject matter you have inquired about.

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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