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Internal Reference: 260345  
Email:

Dear ,

Thank you for your request for information, which we received on **24/03/2026**. We have considered your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. **Please ensure you quote the Internal Reference number above in any future correspondence.**

### Your Request

As Secamb is moving towards a new Ambulance Group model and there are restructures taking place, could you please confirm how many managers on band 8 and above are on secondments and at which banding please.

### Formal Response

Please refer to the table below which includes the headcount of those on secondment as of 25<sup>th</sup> March 2026 at band 8a – 9. Please note there are no band 9 managers on secondment:



<b>Band</b>	<b>Secondment Count</b>
Non Review Body Band 8 - Range A	22
Non Review Body Band 8 - Range B	9
Non Review Body Band 8 - Range C	1
Non Review Body Band 8 - Range D	2

### Next steps

Some information held by the Trust is routinely published on our [website](#) and may be of assistance.

If you are dissatisfied with the Trust's response to your request, you have the right to ask for an internal review.

Requests for an internal review should be submitted within **40 working days** of the date of this response and should be sent to:

**Richard Banks**, Head of Corporate Governance at [FOI@secamb.nhs.uk](mailto:FOI@secamb.nhs.uk)

The internal review will be conducted by an individual who was not directly involved in handling your original request, ordinarily the Trust's Data Protection Officer. We aim to complete internal reviews within **20 working days** of receipt.

If you remain dissatisfied following the outcome of the internal review, you may complain to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO). The ICO generally expects complaints to be raised promptly following the completion of an internal review.

The easiest way to raise a complaint is via the ICO's website:  
[www.ico.org.uk/foicomplaints](http://www.ico.org.uk/foicomplaints)

Alternatively, you may write to:  
Information Commissioner's Office  
Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
Wilmslow  
SK9 5AF

Yours sincerely,

**Corporate Governance Team**  
South East Coast Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust



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