

South East Coast Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust

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Dear

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI/15/12/18.

You requested the following information:

In the Trust's 'R3 Investigation Covering The Period 20 December 2014 TO 24 February 2015 Final Report' - it mentions that a letter was prepared to be sent to the coroners in respect of the pilot project:

"The Trust has prepared a letter to coroners in respect of this pilot project, though at this stage there is no evidence of harm having occurred to individual patients," it says on page 69.

Please can I see a copy of this letter.

South East Coast Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust is unable to provide this document at present as information held relating to this matter is not being published at this time. These documents form part of the Independent Forensic Investigation currently being undertaken by Deloitte which is one of the enforcement undertakings that Monitor is requiring the Trust to undertake. We do not want to compromise the outcome of this investigation.

I hope you find this information helpful.

If, for whatever reason you are unhappy with our response, you are entitled to pursue any dissatisfaction through South East Coast Ambulance NHS Foundation Trust's (SECAmb) Internal Review Procedure at:

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Email:complaints@secamb.nhs.uk

Should you remain unhappy with the outcome of any such internal review, you may request a decision from the Information Commissioner at:

The Information Commissioner's Office Wycliffe House Water Lane Wilmslow Cheshire SK9 5AF

If I can be of further assistance to you, please do not hesitate to contact me, quoting the above reference number.

Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Coordinator South East Coast Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust

