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Dear

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI/16/02/05.

You requested the following information:

The time frame for my request is from 00:01 1 January 2013 up to 23:59 31 December 2015.

- 1) How many times did paramedics use taxis to attend patients in each month over the past three calendar years?**
- 2) How much money was spent on taxis for paramedics to attend patients in each month over the past three calendar years?**
- 3) What are the three largest taxi bills for paramedics to attend patients in each month over the past three calendar years?**
- 4) Please release the dataset, or extracts of the dataset, of taxi expenditure on paramedics to attend patients. Please release this as a re-useable machine readable format (such as a Microsoft Excel file) in line with the dataset provisions of the Act.**

South East Coast Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust does not use taxis for our staff to attend patients.

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:

South East Coast Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust
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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
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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
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