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Email:

Dear

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI/17/01/13.

You requested the following information:

I am researching NHS absence, health and wellbeing.

Under FOI please provide a response for the attached spreadsheet by completing and returning this to me in excel format.

Please see your spreadsheet attached which has been duly completed with all the information we are able to provide.

We are unable to provide information relating to costs on the basis of the exemption contained within s43 (2) of the FOI Act (Commercial Interests). The Trust accepts that there is a public interest in how public money is spent; however, there is also a need to withhold information that would prejudice the commercial interest of the Trust and/ or third parties. In assessing the public interest, the Trust takes the view that this would be the case in this instance. The Trust considers that this information, in conjunction with other information that might already or will be in the public domain, could lead to the commercial interests of the Trust together with the companies we use being adversely affected.

I hope you find this information useful.

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