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Email:

Dear

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI/17/03/28.

You requested the following information:

For the purposes of my current research, I am requesting information under the UK Freedom of Information Act relating to performance. Thus, I would like to:

- **Request data reporting the number of ambulances queuing outside A&E between the period November 2016 to the present, broken down by week, with reference to relevant hospitals**

Please see attached the data which shows number of ambulances transports with a handover to hospitals longer 30minutes. We don't specifically record the number of ambulances queuing outside A&E. Please note these figures may include patients being taken to other departments in the hospital not specifically A&E.

- **Request data reporting handover times exceeding thirty minutes between the period November 2016 to the present, broken down by week, with reference to relevant hospitals**

Please see the attached spreadsheet with tabs for each month for each hospital. We cannot provide this information by week as it is not recorded in this format.

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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