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Email: [foi@secamb.nhs.uk](mailto:foi@secamb.nhs.uk)

Dear,

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI/17/08/39.

You requested the following information, please also see our response below:

**I am submitting a request under the FOI regulations to obtain a list of the declaration of interests made your director team within the last 3 years. This should include any interim acting director workers.**

**I understand that your acting Director of Workforce has strong links with an external party MLC partners and has attended several dinners, lunches and evening hospitality events on behalf of the organization to source applicants to the trust. I am assuming this has all been declared appropriately under the Trust Business conduct policy.**

A register of all of the Director's interests are published in our annual reports which can be found on the following link: [http://www.secamb.nhs.uk/about\\_us/document\\_library.aspx?cat=33](http://www.secamb.nhs.uk/about_us/document_library.aspx?cat=33)

MLC Partners are the agency that the Trust pays to place the interim Director of Workforce with the Trust.

We have spoken to Mr Graham who states that he has not attended these events on behalf of the Trust, but rather in a personal capacity.

Despite the fact that he has attended in a personal capacity, Mr Graham has declared the hospitality appropriately according to our Policy.

I hope you find this information of some assistance.

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

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