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Email:

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Dear,

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI/17/11/18.

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

Part 1

1. Does your Trust/CCT currently use a private company to undertake any of the following services:

Public Relations

Social Media Communications • External Stakeholder Communications

Internal Stakeholder Communications.

No we do not

2. If yes, can you please confirm:

When the current contract(s) was/were last let

When the current contract(s) expires/expire

Whether the current contract(s) has/have options to extend its length

When you expect to retender the contract(s).

N/A

3. If no (to question 1 above), are you considering letting such a contract(s) in the future and if so, do you have an approximate timetable for engaging the market?

We have no plans to at present

Part 2

4. Have you used a private company to help you with any other marketing or public information campaigns in the past 2 years?

We haven't used any private companies to help us with campaigns. However, we have used companies to produce merchandise with our logo on.

5. If so, could you please provide a brief overview of what those campaigns were about and approximately how long your contract with the company was for to support the campaign(s)?

N/A

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:

FOI@secamb.nhs.uk

Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Coordinator
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