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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/18/03/03.

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

1. How many ambulances have been called to addresses in Margate, Ramsgate, Broadstairs or villages in Thanet from 26th February 2018?

We attended 605 incidents from 26th February 2018 – 4th March 2018 for the following postcode areas; CT7, CT8, CT9, CT10, CT11, CT12

2. How many of the above were taken to the William Harvey Hospital at Ashford?

14 of these incidents were conveyed to the William Harvey Hospital

3. What was the shortest time taken for arrival at the above?

The shortest time from departure of scene to arrival at William Harvey Hospital was 20 minutes 12 seconds

4. What was the longest time taken for arrival at the above?

The longest time from departure of scene to arrival at William Harvey Hospital was 1 hour 34 minutes and 24 seconds

Please note that we experienced severe weather across our region during this period and that this will have affected some journey times. It is also sometimes necessary for crews to stop en-route to hospital to provide further treatment.

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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