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Email:

Dear,

I am writing in response to your enquiry under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA) reference FOI 20/02/36

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

Could I please request the total amount South East Coast Ambulance Service NHS Foundation Trust spent on translation services in the following financial years:

- 2016-17

- 2017-18

- 2018-19

In each year, please separately state the amount spent on interpreters/oral communication and the amount spent on written, translated material. If possible, please state separately the amount spent on translation services for the hearing impaired (i.e. BSL and braille)

Language services spend for the last three years				
Year	Interpreters/ oral communication	Written, translated materials	BSL	Total Amount
2018-19	£16,538	£0	£0	£16,538
2017-18	£16,165	£0	£0	£16,165
2016-17	£31,065	£0	£0	£31,065

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, Head of Information Governance via the following email address:

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Yours sincerely

Freedom of Information Coordinator
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