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### **Freedom of Information Act 2000**

I am writing in response to your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 in relation to Car parking charges 2015/2016 to date.

- 1. How much money has the trust raised from car parking charges so far this year?*
- 2. How many parking fines were issued for parking infringements in your car parks so far this year?*
- 3. How many parking fines were written off so far this year?*

1.  
Actual Income raised from Car Parking Tariffs (Financial Year 15/16) -  
£1,387,645  
Actual income received by Trust for Parking Charge Notices Issued (Financial Year) -£0  
Actual Income received for Parking Charge Notices (Financial Year) - £10,590

Any net surplus from the income received from car parks is paid into the Trust's general account and then used to support the activity of the Trust, across the full range of services that the Trust provide.

This will include car park and signage maintenance and site safety.

This surplus money is being invested in improvement of our car parks at both hospitals, to benefit patients. Maidstone Hospital has been granted planning permission to create 180 further car parking spaces which will cost around £750,000 in total.

2.  
Financial Year 2015/2016 to date - 590

3.  
Financial Year 2015/2016 to date - 173