Maidstone and Tunbridge Wells NHS Trust

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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 Ophthalmology services.

Please accept our apologies for the lengthy delay in responding to your request.

1) Has the Trust paid any external supplier or party to deliver Ophthalmology services on behalf of the Trust, which are or have been recorded as the Trust's own NHS activity for the following period?

2). Please breakdown the amount spent with each supplier delivering Ophthalmology services to your Trust during the following periods:

1) Yes

2) The suppliers the Trust has used are listed below along with the total spend. The Trust will not give further detail as the information requested is exempt from disclosure under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 Section 43 as its disclosure would, or would be likely to prejudice the commercial interests of any person (including the public authority holding it).

King's Hill Opticians
Consultant Eye Specialist Partnership
Nial O'Kane
Osbourne Harle

Amount paid (£) to Supplier(s) during below periods						
Jun-16	Jul-16	Aug-16	Sep-16	Oct-16	Nov-16	Dec - 16
16,355	17,772	16,345	13,796	15,449	10,143	14,220