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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 Direct Engagement (DE?VAT saving).

*You asked:*

*Are you currently using Direct engagement? (DE/ VAT saving model for Locums or any other staff group)*

- a. If yes, can you confirm the name of the supplier?*
- b. Can you confirm agreed contract start and End dates?*

Trust response:

- a. 247 Time
- b. October 2016 – April 2021