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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 Gamma cameras in the Trust Nuclear Medicine Department.

You asked:

- *The number of Gamma Cameras in your Nuclear Medicine Department together with the make, model and date of installation.*
- *The anticipated date of replacement of the above*
- *Gamma Camera purchase outcome data for gamma cameras in the past 5 years*
- *Name and email address of Nuclear Medicine Consultants*
- *Name and email address of Nuclear Medicine physicist and chief technologist*

Trust response:

We have two gamma cameras in the trust:

Maidstone: GE D670 SPECT/CT gamma camera - installed ~ April / May 2011  
Tunbridge Wells: GE D670 SPECT/CT gamma camera - installed ~ May / June 2011

The anticipated date of replacement would be 8 - 10 years after installation.

The Trust considers the names and contact details requested exempt under Freedom of Information Act 2000 Section 40(2) (personal information) as it relates to the personal information of employees.

The Trust follows guidance issued by the Information Commissioner's Office on the disclosure of personal data including direct contact details.

The Trust has therefore decided that all such requests will normally be refused using the limitations available under Section 10 and Section 11 of the Data Protection Act 1998.

The Medical Physics Department falls within the remit of the Director of Medical Physics – Mr Stephen Duck – [stephen.duck@nhs.net](mailto:stephen.duck@nhs.net).