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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 CCTV and Access Control.

You asked:

CCTV Equipment

- 1. The total spend on CCTV Systems & Equipment in the last two years FEB 2015 – FEB 2018*
- 2. Can you provide any current supplier names for the above equipment?*
- 3. Please outline details of any current framework or preferred supplier list in place for the supply of CCTV Systems along with details on any renewal dates or plans to re-procure the agreements.*
- 4. Please outline the members of staff responsible for procuring this equipment*

Access Control/Security Solutions

- 5. The total spend and the types of Access Control Systems & Equipment on site in the in the last two years FEB 2015 – FEB 2018 (e.g. Proximity readers, key fob/keypad entry, biometric solutions, pin pad entry systems, NFC or retina identification)*
- 6. Can you provide any current supplier names for the above equipment?*
- 7. Please outline details of any current framework or preferred supplier list in place for the supply of Access control Systems along with details on any renewal dates or plans to re-procure the agreements.*
- 8. Please outline the members of staff responsible for Procuring this equipment*

Trust response:

CCTV Equipment

- 1. The Trust is applying Section 43(2) FOIA which provides an exemption from disclosure of information which would or would be likely to, prejudice the commercial interests of any person (including the public authority holding it). This is a qualified exemption, and is therefore subject to the public interest test.*

The Trust believes that the information requested contains details which would be likely to damage the companies ability to win new business opportunities for their services and to perform them within a commercially competitive market.

The Trust has concluded that the public interest in maintaining the exemption, and therefore protecting the commercial interests of the suppliers and preserving its ability to compete fairly in a commercial market, outweighs the public interest in disclosure in this case.

All NHS bodies are required to publish details of individual invoices and transactions that are over £25,000. This is in response to guidance from HM Treasury which sets out the scope of the data. Details can be found on our website using the following link: www.mtw.nhs.uk/about-us/our-quality-story/finance/

2. Brook security and CBES

3. Maidstone Hospital – Not applicable and Tunbridge Wells Hospital - Interserve PFI

4. Security Manager and procurement

Access Control/Security Solutions

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