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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 Supplier spend.

You asked:

Please could you provide the annual spend for the below suppliers from your last financial year April 2019 - March 2020?

Suppliers

AC Electrical

Albion Electric

B E D ELECTRICAL DISTRIBUTIONS

Bennett & Fountain

Bridge Electrical Supplies

CEL Electrical

City Electrical Factors

Contact Electrical Distributor

CRS Electrical Supplies Ltd

CUMBERLAND ELECTRICAL WHOLESALERS LTD

DINNING ELECTRICAL WHOLESALERS LTD

Edmundson Electrical

Electric Base

Electric Centre

ELECTRICAL WHOLESALERS LTD (EWS)

EXPERT ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES LTD

Eyre and Elliston Ltd

FYLDE ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES LTD

GCG ELECTRICAL WHOLESALERS LIMITED,

GILBEY ELECTRICAL WHOLESALERS LTD

GILTBROOK ELECTRICAL DISTRIBUTORS LTD

Hardings Electrical

IMPACT ELECTRICAL DISTRIBUTORS LTD

Juice Electrical Supplies
KEW ELECTRICAL DISTRIBUTORS LTD
LINCS ELECTRICAL WHOLESALERS LTD (LEW)
Links Electrical Supplies
MAINS ELECTRICAL DISTRIBUTORS LTD
Medlock
Newey & Eyre
NORTHERN & CENTRAL ORMSKIRK ELECTRICAL LTD
Park Electrical Distribution
Phase Electrical Distributors
QUALITY ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES AND TECHNOLOGY LTD
Rexel
Roblett Electrical Supplies Ltd
RS Components
Ryness Electrical
S & A Electrical Distribution
Screwfix
Service Electrical Wholesale
Smith Brothers
Stearn Electrical
SWIFT ELECTRICAL SUPPLIES
THE WHOLESALE LIGHTING & ELECTRICAL COMPANY
TJ ELECTRICAL WHOLESALE LTD
TN Robinson
TRAFFORD ELEC WHOLESALERS
Upex Electrical Distributors Ltd
WF Senate
Wilson Electrical Distributors Ltd
Wilts Wholesale
YESSS Electrical
C & K Supplies
Electrical Wholesale Supplies Swansea Ltd
Independent Electrical Supplies
LH Evans
TLC Electrical Supplies
Wyeverne Electrical
Alan Wilson Electrical Supplies
AN Supplies Ltd
R & M Electrical

Trust response:

The Trust has used the following companies from the above list:

EYRE & ELLISTON LTD
RS COMPONENTS LTD
SCREWFIX DIRECT
STEARNS ELECTRICAL CO. LTD
YESSS ELECTRICAL

The total spend excluding VAT for the financial year April 2019 - March 2020 is £54,141.09.

The Trust is applying Section 43(2) FOIA which provides an exemption from disclosure of further detailed 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 is of an amount which may identify the items or services provided which would be likely to damage the company's ability to win new business opportunities for their services and products 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.

Supplier Transactions

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/