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26<sup>th</sup> March 2018

Dear

**INFORMATION REQUEST UNDER THE FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000**

We are now pleased to respond to your request for information under the FOI Act.

You asked

Specifically, we are looking to identify:

1. Confirmation of the number of Pathology Managed Service Contract tenders the trust has begun since 1st January 2013. **None**
2. Confirmation of whether these procurement processes were challenged at any stage of the Procurement process and on what legal grounds. **N/A**

Please confirm whether you have provided this data in financial years or annual years. I trust that this information is helpful to you, however if you are not entirely satisfied with this response please do not hesitate to contact the Information Governance Department on 01257 488271. If we do not hear from you within 28 days we will assume that we have been able to accommodate your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Yours sincerely,



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