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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.

I would be grateful for the following information:

- a) *Between Q1 2016-17 and Q4 2017-18, what was the total expected allocation to the trust from the Sustainability and Transformation Fund?*
- b) *Between Q1 2016-17 and Q4 2017-18, how much of the expected allocation to the trust from the Sustainability and Transformation Fund was withheld on its due date, as a result of failing to meet the relevant criteria of achieving financial control totals and/or Accident and Emergency waiting time trajectories?*
- c) *Between Q1 2016-17 and Q4 2017-18, how much of the expected allocation to the trust from the Sustainability and Transformation Fund was awarded after its due date, either as a result of the trust subsequently achieving its cumulative financial control total and so becoming eligible for missed payments or where the reason for failing to meet its A&E trajectory was deemed beyond its control?*

	£000		
	2016/17	2017/18	Total
a) Core Expected	7,900	6,443	14,343
b) Core withheld on due date	494	677	1,171
c) Core awarded after due date	494	677	1,171

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,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Andrew Foster', written in a cursive style.

Andrew Foster
Chief Executive

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