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19<sup>th</sup> September 2019

Dear

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

### **You asked:**

**I am writing under the Freedom of Information Act and would like access to the following information:**

**1) Has your NHS Trust Chief Executive written to your NHS Trust Board of Directors in the last 3 months on Brexit /EU Exit contingency planning in the event of a 'no deal' scenario.**

**ii) Has your NHS Trust Chief Executive written to your NHS Trust Board of Directors in the last 3 months on Brexit /EU Exit contingency planning in the event of a 'no deal' scenario mentioning contingency planning for non-elective surgery, or mentions of continuing supply of medicines, clinical devices and non-consumables at a local level.**

**2) If so please provide;**

**i) All mentions of contingency planning for non-elective surgery.**

**ii) All mentions of continuing supply of medicines, clinical devices and non-consumables at a local level.**

**3) The full contents of those letters - and if that cannot be provided then summary details including time and dates of letters sent.**

The Trusts Chief Executive has not written to the Board of Directors regarding any of these questions in the last 3 months.

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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