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**By email**  
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## **Request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (the “FOI Act”)**

I refer to your email of **13 June 2016** in which you requested information under the FOI Act from Monitor. Since 1 April 2016, Monitor and the NHS Trust Development Authority are operating as an integrated organisation known as NHS Improvement.

### **Your request**

You made the following request:

*“I'd like to make a freedom of information request for all agencies operating under each of the approved frameworks below:*

- *Crown Commercial Services: RM971 Non-Medical Non-Clinical*
- *Crown Commercial Services: RM1570 Locum Doctors (including Locum GPs)*
- *Crown Commercial Services: RM3711 Multidisciplinary Temporary Healthcare Personnel*
- *Crown Commercial Services: RM970 Agency Nurses and Social Care Workers*
- *Crown Commercial Services: RM959 Allied Health Professionals, and Health Science and -  
- Emergency Services staff*
- *HealthTrust Europe: Nursing and Care Services Flexible Workers*
- *HealthTrust Europe: Temporary Allied Health Professionals and Health Science Staff*
- *HealthTrust Europe: Framework for provision of Medical Locums and Locum General Practitioners*
- *NHS Collaborative Procurement Partnership: National Collaborative Framework for the supply of - - - Nursing and Nursing-related staff*
- *NHS London Procurement Partnership: Allied Health Professionals and Health Science Services*
- *NHS London Procurement Partnership: Medical Locums Framework Agreement.”*

### **Decision**

Whilst under section 21 of the FOI Act a public authority is not required to disclose information when that information is reasonably accessible by other means, we are mindful of our duty under section 16 of the FOI Act to provide advice and assistance, and so we are able to direct you to the following websites where you will find the information you want (each of the approved framework operators publishes their approved suppliers on their respective websites):

CCS

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/nhs-improvement-approved-health-temporary-staff-frameworks>

National Collaborative (including London Procurement Partnership)

[www.lpp.nhs.uk](http://www.lpp.nhs.uk)

[www.eoecph.nhs.uk](http://www.eoecph.nhs.uk)

[www.commercialsolutions-sec.nhs.uk](http://www.commercialsolutions-sec.nhs.uk)

[www.noecpc.nhs.uk](http://www.noecpc.nhs.uk)

Health Trust Europe

[www.healthtrusteurope.com](http://www.healthtrusteurope.com)

### **Review rights**

If you consider that your request for information has not been properly handled or if you are otherwise dissatisfied with the outcome of your request, you can try to resolve this informally with the person who dealt with your request. If you remain dissatisfied, you may seek an internal review within NHS Improvement of the issue or the decision. A senior member of NHS Improvement's staff, who has not previously been involved with your request, will undertake that review.

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of any internal review, you may complain to the Information Commissioner for a decision on whether your request for information has been dealt with in accordance with the FOI Act.

A request for an internal review should be submitted in writing to FOI Request Reviews, NHS Improvement, Wellington House, 133-155 Waterloo Road, London SE1 8UG or by email to [nhsi.foi@nhs.net](mailto:nhsi.foi@nhs.net).

### **Publication**

Please note that this letter will shortly be published on our website. This is because information disclosed in accordance with the FOI Act is disclosed to the public at large. We will, of course, remove your personal information (e.g. your name and contact details) from the version of the letter published on our website to protect your personal information from general disclosure.

Yours sincerely,



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