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Dear

I am writing in response to your email dated 10th January 2019 requesting information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000) regarding uniform/workwear supplier.

As of 1st November 2014 University Hospitals of North Midlands NHS Trust (UHNM) manages two hospital sites – Royal Stoke University Hospital, and County Hospital (Stafford). Therefore the response below is for the two sites combined from that date where appropriate.

Q1 Please can you provide the following detail below under the freedom of information act?

Are you currently contracted with a uniform/workwear supplier, if so who are they?

A1 MWUK Limited trading as Alexandra

Q2 What are the contract expiry dates?

A2 May 2019

Q3 An approximate number of staff in total who wear uniforms?

A3 Information not held.

Q4 The total numbers of uniforms ordered for the period 1st April 2017 to 31st March 2018.

A4 UHNM estimate 9,650 uniforms ordered for the period 1st April 2017 to 31st March 2018

Q5 The total value of Uniforms/Workwear including Vat for the period 1st April 2017 to 31st March 2018.

A5 UHNM estimate £70,500

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This letter confirms the completion of this request. A log of this request and a copy of this letter will be held by the Trust.

If you have any queries related to the response provided please in the first instance contact my office.

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If following review of the responses I can be of any further assistance please contact my secretary on 01782 676474.

Yours,



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