

## **FOI 0302/2023 Response**

**I would like to request some information under the freedom of information act.**

**I would like the organisation to provide me with the following departmental documents around ICT and corporate procurement.**

**Many organisations within your region have different document title names:**

**For all the documents I have requested, please provide me with the 2023/24 documents, I only want to receive documents that are live and valid. If the document is a strategic plan (e.g. 2020-2025) that covers a set number of years, please provide me with the 2023 version**

**1. 2023/24 IT Department Documents ;- these types of documents have detailed information on the department's future plans and strategies. These documents could include ICT Strategy/Plan, ICT Department Plan, ICT Financial Plan**

- Please note that the Trust is unable to provide the requested information this is because there are no current ICT plans/strategy documentation.

**2. ICT Org Chart ;- with names and job title**

- Please see the attachment and note that the Trust do not provide staff members details for those under a band 8c role.
- The Trust therefore rely on exemption section 40 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to deny this aspect of your request.

**3. Corporate Procurement Strategy that covers 2023/24 and more. Clarification: I am seeking general Procurement Strategy Plan.**

- The Trust is unable to provide you with the Procurement Strategy Plan.

This is because the Trust's procurement function is being transferred to a system wide procurement alliance, and as a result of this the procurement strategy for 2023/24 will be reviewed to take account of those wider system opportunities.

The requested information is therefore intended for future publication and the Trust rely on exemption Section 22 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to deny this aspect of your request.