## FOI 0140/2025 Response

I am writing to submit a Freedom of Information (FOIA) request under the 20-day response requirement, to inquire whether your organisation intends to come to market for bank or agency management services in the next 12 months.

Specifically, I would appreciate information on:

1. Whether the trust plans to tender for these services in the near future.

The Trust has no plans for tendering for the noted services.

2. The scope of services expected to be included in the upcoming tender.

N/A – please refer to the response provided for question 1.

3. The key point of contact within the trust responsible for this area.

The Trust is unable to provide the requested information, this is because we do not routinely release staff members personal information for those below a band 8c role.

We therefore rely on exemption Section 40 of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, to deny this aspect of your request.

However, we can confirm that the People Partner for Resourcing and Temporary Staffing is responsible for temporary staffing, and they can be contacted on the following generic email:

bsmhft.temporarystaffing@nhs.net