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Freedom of Information Request – Ref: FOI 090-1718

Thank you for your recent Freedom of Information request about private patient beds.

This information is contained in the Trust's annual reports which are publicly available on the Trust website at <https://www.2gether.nhs.uk/who-we-are/annual-reports/>. In accordance with the exemption available under s21 of the Freedom of Information Act, we will not on this occasion provide the information you have requested.

In respect of the Trust's annual report for 2016/17, this is due for publication in the next few weeks and will be available on the Trust's website at the address above. In accordance with the exemption available under s22 of the Freedom of Information Act, we will not on this occasion provide the information you have requested.

Should you have any queries in relation to our response in this letter, please do not hesitate to contact me. If you are unhappy with the response you have received in relation to your request and wish to ask us to review our response, you should write to:-

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Yours sincerely,

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