

13th June 2017

Freedom of Information Request – Ref: FOI 030-1718

Thank you for your recent Freedom of Information request about Special Purpose Vehicles. Please find the Trust's response below.

1. Does the trust have a Special Purpose Vehicle (SPV)? **No.**

If so, please provide the following details for **all SPVs** held by the trust

- a. Registered name
- b. Date incorporated
- c. What was the agreed function/purpose of the SPV?
- d. Who owns shared capital? (Please list all entities and the % of capital held by each)
- e. How much VAT was recovered during 2015/16 from the use of the SPV?
- f. What was the SPVs Income Surplus for 2015/16?
- g. Has the SPV been disclosed to HMRC?

2. Is the trust considering the establishment of an SPV?

The Trust is not considering setting up an SPV.

If so, please provide the following details for **all planned SPVs**

- a. What are the proposed functions/purpose of the SPV?
- b. How much VAT is expected to be recovered from the use of an SPV?

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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