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Sent via email to: [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED]

Request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000

I write further to your request for information which was received on 21 July 2023, to confirm, in accordance with S.1(1)(a) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, that Powys Teaching Health Board (PTHB) does hold the information that you require.

For ease of reference your request is set out below and our response follows:

Your Freedom of Information (FOI) Request:

I am emailing on behalf of the Office for National Statistics. ONS is the executive office of the UK Statistics Authority. It is the UK's largest independent producer of official statistics and the recognised national statistical institute of the UK.

Our department at the ONS is responsible for the collection of statistics on stoppages due to strike action which is seen as the main indicator of working days lost within the UK. Here is an example of our recently re-introduced statistics -> <https://scanmail.trustwave.com/?c=261&d=8YS65L1VAAv4JKoG-uzVwhRcbv69kokbYcYr4Fa1w&u=https%3a%2f%2fwww%2eons%2egov%2eu%2femploymentandlabourmarket%2fpeopleinwork%2fworkplacedisputesandworkingconditions%2fdatasets%2flablabourdisputesintheuk><<https://scanmail.trustwave.com/?c=261&d=8YS65L1VAAv4JKoG-uzVwhRcbv69kokbYcYr4Fa1w&u=https%3a%2f%2fwww%2eons%2egov%2eu%2femploymentandlabourmarket%2fpeopleinwork%2fworkplacedisputesandworkingconditions%2fdatasets%2flablabourdisputesintheuk>>

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We welcome correspondence in Welsh
Powys Teaching Health Board is the operational name of
Powys Teaching Local Health Board

We are currently collecting data on the number of people involved in strike action in June and our research has shown that staff in your company have recently been involved in such action.

Unfortunately, we have been unable to find a contact for your organisation in our database. Therefore, we sourced these contact details from your website. In the past, these forms have usually been completed by staff in HR or payroll departments, who work most closely with the data we require. Therefore, I am getting in touch to ask if you are able to pass our inquiry onto the correct department or pass on their contact details by return.

I would stress that any information provided will be treated in strictest confidence and employers nor individuals can be identified in any publications. Therefore, I would be very grateful if you could assist us in the collection of these statistics.

If you are able to complete and return the form by 30th July, we would be extremely grateful. If the strike did not go ahead in your area, there is no need to complete the form. However, we would appreciate an email by return to let us know to ensure we remove you from our records and you are not sent a follow-up email. If you would prefer to return the form by post please get in touch and we can forward a postal address.

Powys Response:

Please see FOI 23.R.151 Attachment 1 in response to your request for information on strike action.

Should you need any further assistance, please do not hesitate to contact me at the address below.

If you are dissatisfied, with the way your request has been dealt with by PTHB, you have the right to request a review in which case you should write to:

Chief Executive
Powys Teaching Health Board Headquarters
Glasbury House
Bronllys Hospital
Bronllys
Brecon
Powys LD3 0LY

If you are still dissatisfied at the end of the review, you may complain to the Information Commissioner, who can be contacted at the following address:

Information Commissioner's Office - Wales
2nd Floor,
Churchill House,
Churchill Way,
Cardiff, CF10 2HH
Tel: 029 2067 8400 Fax 029 2067 8399

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Rydym yn croesawu derbyn gohebiaeth yng Nghymraeg. Byddwn yn ateb y fath ohebiaeth yng Nghymraeg ac ni fydd hyn yn arwain at oedi. We welcome receiving correspondence in Welsh. We will reply to such correspondence in Welsh and this will not lead to a delay.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read 'Debra', with a long, sweeping flourish extending to the right.

Debra Wood-Lawson
Director of Workforce & Organisation Development