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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 16 October 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:

Please provide detail on all NHS dental contracts returned by contractors in your Health Board for the 2021/22 and 2022/23 financial years, and, and 1 April 2023-date.

[Q1] For each contract, please provide data on its i) cash value, its ii) address, and iii) for 2022/23 onwards whether the contract participated into the contract reform programme.

[Q2] Please also indicate whether any practices that moved to the contact reform programme, reverted to the UDA contract prior to returning their NHS contract.

[Q3] Please provide totals on moneys clawed back from NHS dental contractors in Wales for failure to fulfil their NHS contractual targets, for each financial year 2015/16 to 2022/23.

[Q4] For each financial year indicate what proportion of practices were subject to this clawback.

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Powys Teaching Local Health Board

[Q5] For 2022/23 please indicate what proportion of clawback came from contracts with the Welsh Government's contract reform programme for all or part of the financial year.

Powys Response:

Q1 Please see FOI 23.R.360 Attachment 1 for information on what type of NHS Dental contracts practices have. However, we are withholding the financial amount per provider as this is considered exempt under Section 43 Commercial Interests of the Freedom of Information Act. This section of the Act sets out an exemption from the right to know if releasing the information is likely to prejudice the commercial interests of any person (a person maybe an individual, company, the public authority itself or any other legal entity).

Q2 Powys Teaching Health Board have not had any practices previously on the contract reform programme revert back to a UDA contract and then return their NHS contract back to the Health Board. Please note we have assumed that the question relates to a contract which has been handed back to the Health Board.

Q3 Please see the table below for the moneys clawed back from the NHS dental contractors in Wales for failure to fulfil their NHS contractual targets broken down by financial years.

Financial Year	Clawback Amount
2015/16	£ 718,465.00
2016/17	£ 412,048.08
2017/18	£ 465,307.11
2018/19	£ 270,802.29
2019/20	£ 342,359.50
2020/21	£ 16,500.00
2021/22	£ 15,450.00
2022/23	£ 241,748.25

Q4 Please see the table below for the percentages of practices that were subject to this clawback broken down by financial years.

Financial Year	Clawback % of practices
2015/16	46%
2016/17	43%
2017/18	54%
2018/19	35%
2019/20	72%
2020/21	12%
2021/22	24%
2022/23	33%

Q5 For 2022/23 87% of the contracts with a clawback were contract reform contracts. 79% of the total contracts value were contract reform contracts.

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
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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,
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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



Pete Hopgood
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Deputy Chief Executive