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Re: Your request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000
Ref no: FOI-2925-LSC

Thank you for your request dated 16 February 2023.

We can confirm that the ICB does hold the information you requested.

Please find our response to your questions below:

1. Rather than waiting indefinitely to hear if the info i've requested from Kevin Lavery, Dr David Levy and other ICB/PCCG members is to be provided, I am making a formal FOI request to LSC ICB for the following info that I asked for in my email:

Full public release of all papers, agendas and minutes of Primary Care Contracting Group meetings (redacted if necessary for reasons of commercial confidentiality), where the procurement and award of the Withnell GP Practice contract were discussed.

Please find enclosed the documents in question.

Right of Appeal

Should you require any further information or clarification regarding this response please do not hesitate to contact us. If you are dissatisfied with the response, you are entitled to request an internal review which should be formally requested in writing and must be within two calendar months from the date this response was issued.

To request an internal review

You can request this by contacting the FOI team by email at MLCSU.FOITeam@nhs.net or by post to Jubilee House, Lancashire Business Park, Leyland, PR26 6TR, specifying why you require a review.

If you are not content with the outcome of your internal review, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner's Office (ICO) for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the CCGs FOI complaints procedure. The ICO can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF
www.ico.gov.uk

Yours sincerely

**On behalf of Kevin Lavery
ICB Chief Executive**