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I am responding to your request for information received 25 September 2020. This has been treated as a request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I am now enclosing a response which is attached to the end of this letter. Please do not hesitate to contact me on the contact details above if you have any further queries.

Yours sincerely,

Keshia Harvey Information Governance Manager

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Request:

I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, to request responses, by email, to the following questions:

Question 1. Since 1 November 2018, how many requests for prescriptions of unlicensed cannabis-based medical products (CBMPs) have been made though your Trust's Drugs and Therapeutics Committee (or similar approval process)?

Answer: There have been no requests for prescriptions of unlicensed cannabis-based medical products (CBMPs) since November 2018.

Question 2. How many of these requests were approved?

Answer: Not applicable.

Question 3. How many requests were rejected?

Answer: Not applicable.

Question 4. Where a request was rejected, please provide the reason for the decision.

Answer: Not applicable.

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