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I am responding to your request for information received 10<sup>th</sup> September 2019. 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,

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**Request:**

**1) Has your NHS Trust Chief Executive written to your NHS Trust Board of Directors in the last 3 months on Brexit /EU Exit contingency planning in the event of a 'no deal' scenario.**

**ii) Has your NHS Trust Chief Executive written to your NHS Trust Board of Directors in the last 3 months on Brexit /EU Exit contingency planning in the event of a 'no deal' scenario mentioning contingency planning for non elective surgery, or mentions of continuing supply of medicines, clinical devices and non consumables at a local level.**

**2) If so please provide;**

**i) all mentions of contingency planning for non elective surgery.**

**ii ) All mentions of continuing supply of medicines, clinical devices and non consumables at a local level.**

**3) The full contents of those letters - and if that can not be provided then summary details including time and dates of letters sent.**

**Answer:**

Our Chief Executive has not written to our Board of Directors in the last three months on Brexit /EU Exit contingency planning in the event of a 'no deal' scenario mentioning contingency planning for non-elective surgery, or mentions of continuing supply of medicines, clinical devices and non-consumables at a local level.