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I am responding to your request for information received on 14th October 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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Information Governance Coordinator

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Request:

I would like to request the following under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

(1) How many vending machines have there been across your trusts' grounds, in each of the past five years.

(2) Can you break down the above question into how many of these are with snacks containing less than 150 calories and how many included traditional confectionery, chocolate bars and fizzy drinks.

(3) How much profit did the trust earn from these machines in each of the past five years? If possible, could you separate that figure for the separate types of vending machines please.

(4) Which company is contracted to provide the machines?

Please provide the information in accessible excel format, with totals tallied separately for each year.

Answer:

The Trust is not responsible for any vending machines on its sites. Please note that whilst vending machines are available in some of our hospitals these are not provided by East London NHS Foundation Trust and are the responsibility of the acute hospitals where our services are based.