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Dear Sir or Madam,

Ref: FOI 2208

Thank you for your recent Freedom of Information request regarding the financial revenue gained via rent/tenancy/use of premise and income via shops/vendors and restaurants at Homerton Hospital.

The Trust can provide the following information:

- 1. Please provide the amount received by Homerton Hospital per annum in a) rent/tenancy/use of premises and b) any other income from each shop/vendor/restaurant on the hospital premises, eg WH Smith, Marks & Spencer's, Burger King etc.**
- 2. Please provide a full copy of the contract/agreement for shops/vendors/restaurants operating on the hospital premises or property owned by the hospital or trust.**

With regards to the above questions, our relevant team deem it to be commercially sensitive and therefor has applied an exemption on the grounds of Section 43.

Section 43 of the Freedom of Information act exempts information which, if disclosed, would be likely to prejudice the commercial interests of any person. It protects not only the commercial interests of third parties but also the commercial interests of the Trust. It is intended to protect the ability of a public authority like the Homerton University Hospital NHS Foundation Trust to obtain goods or services on the best possible commercial terms and to protect the legitimate commercial interests of its suppliers. The information you seek falls into this category.

If you have any queries about this response please contact the information governance manager at foi@homerton.nhs.uk , in the first instance. If following that, you still have any concerns, you may contact the Information Commissioner either by letter, FOI/EIR Complaints resolution, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SM9 5AF, or by email www.informationcommissioner.gov.uk to take them further.

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Yours sincerely

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