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## Re: Freedom of Information Request

Thank you for your request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 which was received into this office on 27<sup>th</sup> April 2015.

### You Asked for:

#### **1.a -How many people who have worked for you were paid off-payroll in the financial years 2013/14 and 2014/15?**

The number of people who have worked for NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group that have been paid off-payroll for the above requested years are as follows:

- 2013/14 - None
- 2014/15 – One

#### **1.b -How many people working for you are currently paid off-payroll?**

There are currently no people working for NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group who are paid off-payroll.

#### **2.a -How many of the off-payroll workers in the 2013/14 financial year were either board members or senior officials with significant financial responsibility?**

This question is not applicable to NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group.

#### **2.b -How many of the off-payroll workers in the 2014/15 financial year were either board members or senior officials with significant financial responsibility?**

For the financial year 2014/15 there was one person paid off-payroll who were either board members or senior officials with significant financial responsibility.

#### **2.c -How many of the off-payroll workers currently working for you are either board members or senior officials with significant financial responsibility?**

Please see answer to question 1.b.

#### **3.a -Please provide the names and job titles for the off-payroll workers in 2013/14 who were either board members or senior officials with significant financial responsibility.**

This question is not applicable to NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group.

**3.b -Please provide the names and job titles for the off-payroll workers in 2014/15 who were either board members or senior officials with significant financial responsibility.**

The name and job title of the one off-payroll worker at NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group in the year 2014/15 is as follows:

- Mr J Wicks, Interim Accountable Officer

**3.c -Please provide the names and job titles for the off-payroll workers who are currently board members or senior officials with significant financial responsibility.**

Please see answer to question 1.b.

**4 -For each of the off-payroll workers named in 3a, 3b and 3c, please state the length of time that they have been paid off-payroll.**

The length of time in which Mr J Wicks was an off-payroll worker for NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group was as follows:

- Mr J Wicks, 6<sup>th</sup> December 2014 to 5<sup>th</sup> May 2015

**5 -For each of the off-payroll workers named in 3a, 3b and 3c, please state the name of the company which was paid for the work.**

The name of the company which was paid during Mr J Wicks time at NHS Wirral Clinical Commissioning Group was as follows:

- John G Wicks Healthcare Management Ltd

**6 -For each of the off-payroll workers named in 3a, 3b and 3c, please state whether this firm is a personal service company.**

As apparent from the name, yes this is a personal service company

**7 -For each of the off-payroll workers named in 3a, 3b and 3c, please state whether assurances were sought that the correct amount of tax was paid for the work.**

Yes, there were assurances specified in formal contractual arrangements.

**8 -For each of the off-payroll workers named in 3a, 3b and 3c, please state whether assurances were received that the correct amount of tax was paid for the work.**

Yes, these were provided through formal contractual arrangements.

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