Dear Dr Minh Alexander

Your Request for Information [FOI-110-18]

Thank you for your request for information and the available information is attached below.

1. Has the trust been asked by NHS Improvement (NHSI) to take part in workshops about the NHS whistleblower employment support scheme?

If so, please disclose correspondence between the trust and NHSI about this, and any information about the scheme, provided to the trust by NHSI.

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If so, please disclose the relevant correspondence between the trust and NHSI.

3. Has the trust been asked by NHSI to provide any of the following types of support to whistleblowers on the pilot employment support scheme:

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If so, please indicate how many whistleblowers has the trust supported in this way.

Our response: The Trust has not been asked by NHS Improvement (NHSI) to take part in workshops about the NHS whistleblower employment support scheme.

I hope that the information that we have been able to provide will be of value to you but please let us know if we can be of further assistance. (<u>foi@bartshealth.nhs.uk</u>). We would be grateful if you would take a minute to fill out our FOI Feedback Questionnaire at <u>www.bartshealth.nhs.uk/foi-feedback</u>. If you require any further information about the services provided by Barts Health NHS Trust please contact the press office on 020 7480 4893 (Monday to Friday 9am-5pm) or out of hours call Switchboard on 020 7377 7000 and ask to contact the duty press officer.

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If, after we have addressed your complaint, you remain dissatisfied with how we have responded, you are entitled to appeal to the Information Commissioner (Tel: 01625 545 745). Details are shown at <u>www.ico.org.uk</u>

Yours faithfully,

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Sent: 28 February 2018 03:23
To: FOI
Subject: Re: NHS whistleblower employment support scheme

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