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**Date:** 25 April 2023

By email to: [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED]

**Freedom of Information request**

Thank you for your Freedom of Information (FOI) request, which was received by the Human Tissue Authority (HTA) on Wednesday 05 April 2023. Your email outlined the following request:

“Good morning I am writing to you under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 to request the following:

- How many Diversity and Inclusion officers did you hire between April 5, 2018 and April 5, 2023? Please state: the full job title of each role, the annual salary of each role, the date of appointment for each role, and a brief description of each role. (For clarity, 'Diversity and Inclusion officer' refers to any job role which has in its title any of the following words: 'diversity', 'inclusion', 'equality', 'wellbeing' and 'EDI'.)
- In total, how many Diversity and Inclusion officers do you currently employ? Please state: the full job title of each role, the annual salary of each role, and a brief description of each role. (The definition of 'Diversity and Inclusion officer' is the same as in the previous question.)
- Between January 1, 2018 and April 5, 2023, for what period of time has your organisation been a member of the LGBT charity Stonewall? If the membership was terminated, on what date did your membership end? How much did you pay in membership fees and other expenses to Stonewall during the stated period? Please provide a date and reason for each payment”.

**Response**

1. How many Diversity and Inclusion officers did you hire between April 5, 2018 and April 5, 2023? Please state: the full job title of each role, the annual salary of each role, the date of appointment for each role, and a brief description of each role. (For clarity, 'Diversity and Inclusion officer' refers to any job role which has in its title any of the following words: 'diversity', 'inclusion', 'equality', 'wellbeing' and 'EDI'. Nil

2. In total, how many Diversity and Inclusion officers do you currently employ?  
Please state: the full job title of each role, the annual salary of each role, and a brief description of each role. (The definition of 'Diversity and Inclusion officer' is the same as in the previous question.) Nil
3. Between January 1, 2018 and April 5, 2023, for what period of time has your organisation been a member of the LGBT charity Stonewall? If the membership was terminated, on what date did your membership end? How much did you pay in membership fees and other expenses to Stonewall during the stated period?  
Please provide a date and reason for each payment. Nil

### **Further information**

If you are unhappy with the way the HTA has handled your request for information in this case, you may in the first instance ask us for an internal review by writing to us at the above postal or email address.

If you remain dissatisfied with the handling of your request, you have the right to appeal directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision, at the address below. There is no charge for making an appeal.

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Yours sincerely

