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Dr John Burton
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Dear Dr Burton

FOI REQUEST - PAEDIATRIC RENAL TRANSPLANTS

I refer to the Trust's letter of 17 June 2005 and our telephone conversation of 18 July 2005 when I confirmed the outcome of the review was that subject to clarification from the Information Commissioners Office the names of the operating surgeons should be released.

The Information Commissioners office has confirmed that the Data Protection Act does not apply in this instance and it is good practice to release the names.

I attach the names of the operating surgeons and the number of procedures each undertook during the period.

Yours sincerely

P. Haines

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FOI Liaison Officer

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PAEDIATRIC TRANSPLANTS – 1 January 1990 to 31 December 1994

Surgeon (surname)	Number Cases surgeon involved with on BCH site
[REDACTED]	1
[REDACTED]	1
[REDACTED]	1
[REDACTED]	1
[REDACTED]	3
McCallion	1
[REDACTED]	1
[REDACTED]	4
Keane	4
[REDACTED]	2
[REDACTED]	2
[REDACTED]	1
[REDACTED]	1
[REDACTED]	2

N.B.

Some cases involved 2 surgeons

Not all surgeons performing transplants were consultants at time of operation

Summary of 49 paediatric transplants performed in the time period:

1. Performed at BCH – notes not available/surgeon not identified	:	3
2. Performed at BCH – surgeon identified	:	16
3. Performed at RBHSC	:	30
TOTAL	:	<u>49</u>