

Freedom of Information Request

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Information Requested:

I am writing to obtain information about your organisation's spending on settlement agreements in 2020-21, 2021-22 and 2022-23.

Please include the following information:

'Settlements' refers to any settlement agreement paid to staff whether current or former.

Please include the following:

The total number of settlement agreements for each financial year.

- The total costs associated for each settlement agreement in each financial year.
- This includes, but is not limited to, a payment of salary, payment in lieu of a notice period and payment of compensation for loss of office

1. The total number of settlement agreements for each financial year.

[2020/21 – 5](#)

[2021/22 – 4](#)

[2022/23 - 4](#)

2. The total costs associated for each settlement agreement in each financial year.

[2020/21 - £29,500](#)

[2021/22 - £5,000](#)

[2022/23 - £16,391.64](#)

3. This includes, but is not limited to, a payment of salary, payment in lieu of a notice period and payment of compensation for loss of office.

[Please see response to question 2 above](#)

If you are unable to answer one of the questions, please continue and answer the subsequent ones.

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