

17 November 2020

BY EMAIL

Our Ref: FOI 1337

Dear 

Your request for information was received on 15th October 2020 and was dealt with under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000. Please be advised that the Business Services Organisation (BSO) has now completed its search for the information you requested with regards to a list of firms and contract values that were involved in the provision of PPE equipment to Northern Ireland since March 2020.

Please find this information attached.

Please note that the attached information identifies the suppliers of PPE to Northern Ireland Health and Social Care (NIHSC) during the period 1 March 2020 until the date of request. The value of contracts awarded is drawn from the value of orders placed during the specified timeframe. It should be noted that not all of these orders have been fulfilled to date.

Please also note that individual NIHSC Organisations may have awarded contracts directly. BSO Procurement and Logistics Service would not hold this information, and if required, it should be obtained by contacting each Organisation directly.

I hope that the information provided assists you. If you are dissatisfied in any way with the handling of your request, you have the right to request a review. You should do this as soon as possible or in any case within two months of the date of issue of this letter.

In the event that you require a review to be undertaken, you can do so by writing to

Information Governance Manager,
2 Franklin Street,
Belfast,
BT2 8DQ



If, following an internal review, carried out by an independent decision making panel, you remain dissatisfied in any way with the handling of the request, you may make a complaint under Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act, to the Information Commissioner's Office and ask that they investigate whether the BSO has complied with the terms of the Freedom of Information Act.

You can contact Information Commissioner at:

Website: www.ico.org.uk
Phone: 0303 123 1113
Email: casework@ico.org.uk
Post: Information Commissioner's Office
3rd Floor, 14 Cromac Place
Belfast
BT7 2JB

In most circumstances the Information Commissioner will not investigate a complaint unless an internal review procedure has been carried out. However the Commissioner has the option to investigate the matter at his discretion.

Yours Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Karen Bailey".

Karen Bailey
Acting Chief Executive

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Supplier	Awarded	Value of Contracts
Bloc Blinds T/A Fourds Ltd		48,307,920
Poplar Linens Unlimited Trading Company		28,444,880
Hospital Services Limited		25,022,000
Bloc PPE Ltd		24,219,000
Denroy Plastics Limited		20,466,000
Fox Design Thinking Limited		19,690,000
365 Healthcare		15,660,532
Paragon Health Limited		15,270,000
Creative Activity		13,924,100
Techniclean Supply Ltd		12,115,150
Arco Ltd		11,531,198
Dong Dao Group UK Limited		9,838,620
Medco Solutions Ltd		9,200,000
Resonate Branding		7,555,000
Ideal Medical Solutions		7,200,000
Bunzl Healthcare		6,595,718
Nuprint Medical Ltd		6,500,000
Velindre Nhs Trust		5,432,497
Ebrington Medical		5,397,057
Centrado Trading Limited		2,740,000
Ventac & Company Limited		2,326,896
CMT Group		1,880,000
Fastenal Europe Ltd		1,840,300
3M United Kingdom Plc		1,663,258
Bunzl Mclaughlin		1,583,400
Department Of Health And Social Care		746,217
HPC Healthline Uk Limited		656,211
Clonallon Laboratories Limited		388,000
John Preston & Co Belfast Ltd		337,680
PJD Safety Supplies Ltd		212,400
JPK Trade Supplies Ltd		84,014
J and J International Enterprises Ltd		69,654
Antrim Supplies Limited		47,933
Scully Suppliers Ltd. T/A Safetyplus		17,731
Hunter Apparel Solutions		14,898
Engine And Truck NI Ltd		2,061
Zenith Hygiene Ireland		1,800