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## **Re: Your request made under the Freedom of Information Act 2000**

1. Whether the Trust is on a fixed rate tariff contract for energy.

Variable

2. The Trust's annual energy budget for 2021/22.

Approximately £5.6M

3. Whether the Trust anticipates any additional energy costs in the second half of 2021/22.

The Trust does not anticipate having to pay any additional energy costs to those associated with the consumption of energy, but as it is on a variable rate tariff it is feasible that the cost of energy could increase. The extent of any increase will depend on the performance of the variable rate and will be determined by market forces.

4. If yes to the above, the value of any estimated additional energy costs for the second half of 2021/22.

Unknown as it depends on future market conditions.