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Dear Sir/Madam

Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA)

Request ID: FOI377651123

Thank you for your request for information relating to Council DBS checks.

You have requested the following information:

1. The number of DBS checks the council undertook per annum for the financial years 2019/20 & 2020/21?

2019/20: 5,567

2020/21: 4,016

2. The total number of basic checks for the financial years 2019/20 & 2020/21?

2019/20: 17

2020/21: 25

3. The total number of enhanced checks for the financial years 2019/20 & 2020/21?

2019/20: 5,511

2020/21: 3,906

4. The total spend on DBS checks for the financial years 2019/20 & 2020/21?

2019/20: £186,864

2020/21: £146,711

5. The name of the DBS supplier providing the service to the organisation.

Security Watchdog.

6. Does the supplier have an official contract with the organisation? Is the contract for a specific period? What date will the contract next be reviewed?

The contract is for three years with renewal being in April 2023.

7. If there is a contract, please specify the procurement process followed to appoint a supplier?

The Direct Award renewal is included in the WMJobs contract.

8. The name of the supplier of your human resource system?

Zellis UK Limited.

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Yours faithfully

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