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Swansea Bay University
Health Board

Cadeirydd/Chair: **Emma Woollett**
Prif Weithredwr/Chief Executive: **Mark Hackett**

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Rydym yn croesawu gohebiaeth yn y Gymraeg ac yn y Saesneg. We welcome correspondence in Welsh or English.

Dyddiad/Date: 8th September 2021
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I refer to your Freedom of Information Act Request acknowledged by ourselves on 23rd July 2021. Your request sought information relating to Pen y Bont Ltd.

“Welsh Government does not fund General Practice directly, funds are allocated to health boards, including Swansea Bay UHB (previously Abertawe Bro Morgannwg HB), who then pay General Practice for the provision of general medical services using their existing channels”. You clarified on 11th August 2021 that this quote is from Welsh Government.

1. What monitoring or accountability is there for how this funding has been used, and what does same reveal of the operational deliverables of Pen-y-Bont Health Ltd?

Pen Y Bont Health Ltd is a limited company, it is not a General Practice. Therefore, all financial information in relation to their income and accounting details will be published by Companies House in Cardiff which is accessible to the public and is not held by the Health Board. However, as a company, Pen y Bont Ltd can bid for some of our commissioned services (i.e. out of hours call handling sessions) via our procurement processes and therefore within this remit the Health Board would monitor these commissioned services as set out in the individual service level agreements.

I hope this information is helpful. If you require anything further please contact us at FOIA.Requests@wales.nhs.uk.

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about the Health Board's handling of your request please contact me directly at the address below or register your complaint via FOIA.Requests@wales.nhs.uk.

If after Internal Review you remain dissatisfied you are also entitled to refer the matter to the information commissioner at the Information Commissioner's Office (Wales), 2nd Floor, Churchill House, Churchill Way, Cardiff, CF10 2HH. Telephone Number: 029 2067 8400.

Yours sincerely



On behalf of

Pam Wenger

Director of Corporate Governance

