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Further to your recent request for information made under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) 2000, I now set out our answers to your specific questions, and any clarifications sought and provided, as follows:

**Under the Freedom of Information Act 2000, I would be grateful if you could provide the following information regarding the use of halogen lighting within your Trust's estate.**

- 1. Does the Trust currently use halogen lighting systems in any operating theatres (including surgical theatre lighting and/or general theatre illumination)?**

Yes.

- 2. Does the Trust currently use halogen light bulbs or halogen lighting systems elsewhere within the hospital estate (including wards, corridors, outpatient areas, offices, plant rooms, or other facilities)?**

Yes.

- 3. If the answer to either question 1 or 2 is yes, please provide:**

- o The date(s) or year(s) when the relevant lighting systems or bulbs were purchased.**

The lighting systems were purchased circa 1992.

- o The date(s) or year(s) when they were installed.**

Installed circa 1992.

**4. If the answer to either question 1 or 2 is yes, please provide:**

- o The manufacturer name.**
- o The model number, product code, or other identifying reference for the lighting system and/or bulbs.**

<b>Site</b>	<b>Theatre</b>	<b>Make / Model</b>
Eastbourne District General Hospital	Jubilee Eye Centre	Berchtold C450/C450
Eastbourne District General Hospital	Cath. Lab 2	Dr. Mach M3
Eastbourne District General Hospital	Pacing Theatre	Berchtold D 530
Eastbourne District General Hospital	Anaesthetic 11	Heraeus 2001
Sussex Premier Health	Theatre 1	X'Ten

- o Manufacturer name given in table above, halogen lighting for air handling unit varies. As halogen lighting fails, they are replaced by LED.**
- o Overhead bed lamp fittings are manufactured by Glamox initially and are original from Conquest build. Again, replaced by LED equivalent when they fail.**
- o Glamox OVH lamps utilise a 28w GLS BC lamp**

I trust this information is helpful in its detail or explanation however, if you are dissatisfied with the response, then you have the right to request an internal review. If you wish to seek an internal review, please write to the Freedom of Information Team at [esh-tr.foi@nhs.net](mailto:esh-tr.foi@nhs.net) quoting the above FOI reference number, within 40 working days. Please note the Trust is not obliged to accept a request for an internal review after this time period.

Yours faithfully

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