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FoI request (Ref: 20190207-01)

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Thank you for your request for information about the Legal Services Board's (LSB's) I.T. I confirm that LSB holds the information that you have requested. The response to each of the questions is set out below.

1. Local Area Network

a) What Manufacturer is your LAN Network?

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b) What date does your support contract come up for renewal on the LAN Network?

**30 June 2019**

c) What is the current cost of the LAN Network Support?

**This information is being withheld under s43(2) of the Freedom of Information Act 2000, as its disclosure would prejudices (or is likely to prejudice) the commercial interests of any person. This is because the LSB is in the process of tendering for a new IT provider and disclosure of current contract costs will or is likely to, prejudice our negotiating position and put us at a disadvantage in the procurement of future services. We have considered the public interest test and concluded that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosure of the information here. As a public body we recognise that disclosure is important for accountability and transparency purposes in the expenditure of public funds, but in the circumstances here this is outweighed by the public interest in protecting our negotiating position and thus achieving best value for those funds.**

d) Which company is the support contract with?

**CoopSys**

2. Contacts

a) Who is responsible for ICT in the organisation and what are their contact details?

**Interim Director Finance and Services**

**Email address: [contactus@legalservicesboard.org.uk](mailto:contactus@legalservicesboard.org.uk)**

- b) Who is responsible for ICT Infrastructure in the organisation and what are their contact details?

**Interim Director Finance and Services**

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- c) Who is responsible for ICT Purchasing in the organisation and what are their contact details?

**Interim Director Finance and Services**

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- d) Staff

How many IT users do you have?

**35**

- e) How many locations/offices do you have?

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If you are dissatisfied with this response to your request for information, you have the right to ask for an internal review / to submit a complaint (see [LSB's Freedom of information – Complaints procedure](#)).

If you are dissatisfied with the outcome of your complaint, you may refer the matter to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Please be aware that the Commissioner will be unlikely to make a decision until you have been through our internal complaints procedure first. You can write to the Commissioner at:

FOI/EIR Complaints Resolution  
Information Commissioner's Office  
Wycliffe House  
Water Lane  
Wilmslow  
Cheshire  
SK9 5AF

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