**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000**

**QUESTIONS TO LOCAL AUTHORITIES REGARDING LOCAL HEALTHWATCH**

1. What is the name of the Social Enterprise body contracted by the Council to be the local Healthwatch for your local authority area?

The organisation contracted to facilitate the development of an independent Healthwatch service for Leicester is Voluntary Action Leicester. They do not have the status of a social enterprise.

1. On what date was the contract(s) for the local HealthWatch for your area signed?

The contract was signed on 20th September 2013.

1. If a contract has not been signed for the local Healthwatch for your area, when do you expect it to be signed?

N/A