Freedom of Information request to Public Health Wales

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Information Requested:

I would like you to provide the follow information under a Freedom of Information request:

(1) What is the number of amplification cycles currently being used in the PCR testing for Covid-19 approved/implemented by Public Health Wales?

(2) If it has changed from the value of 45, which you gave me in response to an earlier FOI request, can you tell me when it was changed?

I look forward to receiving this information at your earliest convenience.

Information provided for the answer:

Thank you for your recent request.

I have considered you request and having liaised with the relevant department can advise that the cycle remains at 45.

I hope that information is of assistance.
write to the Corporate Complaints Manager, Public Health Wales NHS Trust, 3, Number 2, Capital Quarter, Tyndall Street, Cardiff, CF10 4BZ.

If you are not content with the outcome of your complaint or review, you may apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the ICO cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the complaints procedure provided by the Trust. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at:

Information Commissioner for Wales

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CF10 2HH

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