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Dear [REDACTED],

**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000: MINISTRY OF DEFENCE POLICE: TOTAL STAFF
HEADCOUNT FOR THE MINISTRY OF DEFENCE POLICE.**

I refer to your email dated 7th July 2016.

We are treating your email as a request for information in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA 2000).

In your email of the 7th July 2016 you requested the following information:

- “1. Please advise the total staff headcount that are employed directly by Ministry of Defence Police, with each part-time employee counted as one employee. Please exclude all temporary agency workers from this figure.**
- 2. Please identify each supplier that Ministry of Defence Police has a contract with to supply temporary agency workers.**
- 3. Please identify: a. the type of contract that Ministry of Defence Police has with each of these suppliers (preferred supplier list/ framework/ etc. If framework, please indicate b. which - e.g. MSTAR/ YPO/ Panel London/ Pan London/ NPS All Wales/ Crown Commercial Services/ etc; and c. whether this is on a neutral/ master/ hybrid vender model, or the lot number.**
- 4. Please advise for each contract identified within (2) above of: a. the current end date of the contract; b. the date(s) that any break clause(s) can be enabled; and c. the length of time of any extension that can be enabled.**

5. Please advise of the full name of the main contact at Ministry of Defence Police who is responsible for the main (or majority of the) contract(s) identified within (2) above, together with their:

- a. job title;**
- b. group (either team, division or department, whichever is the smallest identifiable group);**
- c. telephone number;**
- d. email; and**
- e. full postal address, inc postcode.**

6. Please identify all suppliers that Ministry of Defence Police has sourced a temporary agency worker from - but does not have a contract with - from 1 April 2015 to 31 March 2016.

7. For each temporary agency supplier (either a. contracted as identified within (2) above; b. non-contracted as identified within (6) above; and c. all workers Ministry of Defence Police has sourced directly), how much has been spent on each supplier (or directly), from 1 April 2015 to 31 March 2016?

A search for information has now been completed and I can confirm that some information in scope of your request is held.

1. Please advise the total staff headcount that are employed directly by Ministry of Defence Police, with each part-time employee counted as one employee. Please exclude all temporary agency workers from this figure

The total headcount of staff employed directly by the Ministry of Defence Police (MDP) is zero, as all staff within the MDP are directly employed by the Ministry of Defence (MOD) as Civil Servants.

However, I can advise that as at the 30th June 2016 a total of 2518 Police Officers and 222 Non Uniform Civilian Staff within the MDP are directly employed by the MOD.

Questions 2-7 no information is held. The Ministry of Defence Police are part of the Ministry of Defence and follow the MOD policy on 'Crown Commercial Service' pan-government contingent labour framework contracts for the provision of Agency Workers.

If you are not satisfied with this response or wish to complain about any aspect of the handling of your request, then you should contact me in the first instance. If informal resolution is not possible and you are still dissatisfied then you may apply for an independent internal review by contacting the Information Rights Compliance team, 1st Floor, MOD Main Building, Whitehall, London SW1A 2HB (email CIO-FOI-IR@mod.uk). Please note that any request for an internal review must be made within 40 working days of the date on which the attempt to reach informal resolution has come to an end.

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Yours sincerely

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