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Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you for your email of 29 October in which you requested the following information:

"Further to FOI response FOI2017/09324/79448/18/01, please could identify the precise date, location and type of ordnance that was identified in each of the seven incidents."

I am treating your correspondence as a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) 2000.

A search for the information has now been completed within the Ministry of Defence, and I can confirm that the information in scope of your request is held and is as follows:

Year	Date	Location	Ordnance
2004	10 August	King George Reservoir, Chingford	2 X Smoke Float. Others not fully identified. Numerous tailfins found.
2005	2 November	Ilford	1 X 250kg Air Dropped Weapon (ADW) Incendiary
2007	14 May	Bethnal Green	1 X 250kg ADW
2008	June	Stratford	1 X ADW 1000kg Blast Bomb
2010	17 December	Beckton	1 x 250kg ADW High Explosive (HE)
2015	23 March	Bermondsey	1 x 250kg ADW HE
2015	10 August	Bethnal Green	1 X 50kg ADW HE
2016	24 April	Lewisham	1 X 250kg ADW HE

An additional task for 2008 has been found since your previous request and included in the above table.

Under section 16 of the FOIA – advice and assistance – the Metropolitan Police deal with most Explosive Ordnance incidents within the Greater London area. The Ministry of Defence only provides assistance for air dropped weapons or other occasions when required.

If you have any queries regarding the content of this letter, please contact this office in the first instance. Following this, if you wish to complain about the handling of your request, or the content of this response, you can request an independent internal review by contacting the Information Rights Compliance team, Ground Floor, MOD Main Building, Whitehall, SW1A 2HB (e-mail CIO-FOI-IR@mod.uk). Please note that any request for an internal review should be made within 40 working days of the date of this response.

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Yours sincerely,



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