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Dear [REDACTED]

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000: MINISTRY OF DEFENCE POLICE: STAFF NUMBERS

I refer to your e-mail dated 18 October 2018, which was acknowledged on the 23 October 2018.

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

In your e-mail you requested the following information:

“I would like the following data for the end of the 2009/2010 financial year (ie correct as of March/April 2010) and the most recent available figures, ideally correct at this moment in time.

- 1. Total number of staff employed by the force**
- 2. Total number of police officers - split between full time and part time**
- 3. Total number of civilian staff - split between full time and part time**
- 4. Overall annual spend on wages**

I would also like:

- 5. A list of posts that existed in 2010 but do not exist in 2018**
- 6. A list of posts that exist in 2018 but did not exist in 2010”**

A search for information has now been completed by the Ministry of Defence Police and I can confirm that we do hold information in scope of your request.
(Note: these figures are based on headcount.)

- 1. Total number of staff employed by the force**

As at 31/03/10	As at 31/3/18
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4169	2736
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2. Total number of police officers - split between full time and part time

2010	2018
Total number 3,700	Full time - 2439
	Part time - 88

3. Total number of civilian staff - split between full time and part time

2010	2018
Total number 469-unable to distinguish between full and part time workers	Full time -174
	Part time - 35

4. Overall annual spend on wages

£M	2009/2010	2018/2019 Forecast
Police Pay	152.573	120.218
Civilian Pay	114.582	7.107
Total	267.155	127.325

I would also like:

5. A list of posts that existed in 2010 but do not exist in 2018

6. A list of posts that exist in 2018 but did not exist in 2010

In respect of questions 5 and 6 we have no information held.

If you have any queries regarding the content of this letter, please contact this office in the first instance.

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Yours sincerely

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