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Dear [REDACTED]

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000: MINISTRY OF DEFENCE POLICE: STAFF WITH CRIMINAL CONVICTIONS.

We refer to your email dated 10 June 2019 to the Ministry of Defence Police which was acknowledged on the same date.

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

In your email you requested the following information:

- “1. How many people does your force have in each of the following roles:**
 - a. Police Officer (Detective or Constable, including Specials)**
 - b. PCSO**
 - c. Other Police staff**

- 2. How many staff have criminal convictions?**
 - a. How many are Police Officers (Detective or Constable, including Specials)?**
 - b. How many are PCSOs?**
 - c. How many are other Police staff?**

- 3. Please provide the following information for each conviction:**
 - a. The person's role and/or rank**
 - b. The offence**
 - c. Whether the person received a custodial sentence (suspended or otherwise)**
 - d. Whether the person was convicted before they joined the police.”**

A search for information has now been completed by the Ministry of Defence Police (MDP) and I can confirm that we do hold information in scope of your request.

- 1.a. 2574 police officers of all ranks.
- 1.b. No Information held. The MDP does not employ PCSOs.
- 1.c. 231 Non Uniform Civil Servants.

The above information reflects the position as at May 2019.

- 2.a. See the information shown in the table below relating to current police officers.
- 2.b. No Information held. The MDP does not employ PCSOs.
- 2.c. Nil.

3.a.b.c. Data recorded from 1 January 2013 as follows:

Year	Rank	Offence	Custodial Sentence
2015	PC	Traffic – Speeding	No
2016	PC	Traffic – Speeding	No
2018	PC	Traffic – Speeding	No
2018	PC	Traffic – Speeding	No
2018	PC	Traffic – Careless driving	No
2018	PC	Traffic – Speeding	No
2018	PC	Criminal damage	No

3.d. No Information held.

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Yours sincerely

MDP Secretariat and Freedom of Information Office