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Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your email of 25 April 2017 requesting the following information:

Please could i request an up to date list of all contractors, subcontractors and suppliers that have or will be involved with the construction of the 2 office buildings, garage, technical store, sports pavilion, Dutch barns, grass football pitch, all-weather flood-lit Football Pitch, 2 tennis courts and an obstacle course together with associated external works including hardstanding, car parking and landscaping. (PROJECT ALLENBY CONNAUGHT - SWINTON BARRACKS)

I am treating your correspondence as a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA). I can confirm that some information within the scope of your request is held. However this information is being withheld under Section 21 of the Act (Information reasonably accessible to the applicant by other means). You will find the contractor and sub-contractor information using the links below:

<https://www.gov.uk/guidance/defence-infrastructure-organisation-service-family-accommodation-allenby-connaught>

<http://ted.europa.eu/udl?uri=TED:NOTICE:037333-2015:TEXT:EN:HTML>

<http://ted.europa.eu/udl?uri=TED:NOTICE:404092-2016:TEXT:EN:HTML>

Under Section 16 of the Act (Advice and Assistance) you may find it helpful to note that the Voluntary Transparency Notice, accessed using the second link above, includes the contact details of Aspire Defence Capital Works to allow construction companies and Small and Medium Enterprises to bid for elements of construction work. The Ministry of Defence does not hold details of these companies and they are not named in the contract.

If you are not satisfied with this response or you 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, Ground Floor, MOD Main Building, Whitehall, SW1A 2HB (e-mail 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.

If you remain dissatisfied following an internal review, you may take your complaint to the Information Commissioner under the provisions of Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act. Please note that the Information Commissioner will not investigate your case until the MOD internal review process has been completed. Further details of the role and powers of the Information Commissioner can be found on the Commissioner's website, <http://www.ico.org.uk>.

Yours sincerely

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