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Dear Mr

Thank you for your email of 1 August 2014 requesting the following information:

"I am writing to request a copy of all reported thefts of personal items belonging to members of 2 LANCS in Weeton Barracks."

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

A search for the information has now been completed within the Ministry of Defence, and I can confirm that information in scope of your request is held. The following thefts have been reported and recorded on REDCAP, the Royal Military Police reporting system, between 1 August 2011, when 2 LANCS arrived in Weeton and 14 August 2014:

- Personal: £400 cash from an insecure locker within a shared insecure Single Living Accommodation.
- Personal: audio equipment and MoD issue body armour and respirator from secure Single Living Accommodation.
- Personal: various electrical equipment from a secure shared Single Living Accommodation.
- Personal and MoD issue: various items from a secure locker within an insecure locker room.

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 Deputy Chief Information Officer, 2nd 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.

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