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Dear [REDACTED]

Release of Information

Thank you for your correspondence dated 1 October 2014 requesting a list of the two and three star officers on the active list of the Royal Navy as at 1st October 2014. It is confirmed that the information requested is held and that your enquiry has been considered to be a request for information in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

Please find attached at annex the Department's substantive reply to your request; the list provided also includes the full Admiral four star appointment of the First Sea Lord and two and three star Royal Marine officers as part of the Naval Service.

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, 1st 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.gov.uk>.

Yours sincerely

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NAVY COMMAND	
Fleet Commander	Vice Admiral Sir Philip Jones KCB
Second Sea Lord and Chief of Naval Personnel & Training	Vice Admiral D G Steel CBE DL
Assistant Chief of Naval Staff (Aviation & Carriers)	Rear Admiral R G Harding OBE
Commander Operations	Rear Admiral M J Parr CB
Assistant Chief of Naval Staff (Support)	Rear Admiral I M Jess
Assistant Chief of Naval Staff (Capability), Chief of Staff Navy Command HQ, Controller of the Navy	Rear Admiral J A Morse
Naval Secretary and Assistant Chief of Naval Staff (Personnel)	Rear Admiral S J Woodcock OBE
Commander of the United Kingdom Maritime Forces	Rear Admiral R K Tarrant
Flag Officer Sea Training	Rear Admiral B J Key
Chief of Staff (Integrated Change Policy)	Rear Admiral M C Cree
Commander UK Amphibious Forces & Commandant General Royal Marines	Major General M L Smith MBE
Flag Officer Scotland, Northern England & Northern Ireland	Rear Admiral J R H Clink OBE
Chaplain of the Fleet	Rev S J Brown CBE QHC

Ministry of Defence/Centre Appointments

First Sea Lord and Chief of Naval Staff	Admiral Sir George Zambellas KCB DSC ADC DL
Chief of Defence Intelligence	Vice Admiral A D Richards CB
Deputy Chief of Defence Staff (Military Strategy & Operations)	Lieutenant General G K Messenger DSO* OBE
Director General Joint Force Development and Director Defence Academy	Vice Admiral D L Potts CB
Assistant Chief of Naval Staff (Policy)	Rear Admiral C C C Johnstone CBE
Assistant Chief of Defence Staff (Nuclear & Chemical, Biological)	Rear Admiral J H J Gower CB OBE
Assistant Chief of Defence Staff (Capability & Force Design)	Rear Admiral T P Fraser
Assistant Chief of Defence Staff (Personnel) & Defence Services Secretary	Rear Admiral S P Williams
Commander Joint Medical Command	Surgeon Rear Admiral C J G McArthur QHP
National Hydrographer and Deputy Chief Executive UK Hydrographic Office	Rear Admiral T M Karsten
Chief of Staff Joint Force Command	Rear Admiral P M Bennett OBE
Director Concepts & Doctrine	Rear Admiral J M L Kingwell
Assistant Chief of Defence Staff (Military Strategy)	Rear Admiral S J Ancona
Programme Director Carrier Strike	Rear Admiral G A Mackay
Director Medical Policy & Operational Capability	Surgeon Rear Admiral A J Walker OBE QHS

Permanent Joint Headquarters Appointments

Chief of Joint Operations	Lieutenant General Sir David Capewell KCB OBE
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NATO, EU and International Appointments	
Commander Maritime Command Northwood	Vice Admiral P D Hudson CBE
UK Military Representative to NATO & the EU	Vice Admiral I F Corder CB
Deputy Commander Land Command Izmir	Lieutenant General E G M Davis CB CBE
Deputy Commander Strike Force, NATO	Rear Admiral T M Lowe
Head of the British Defence Staff (Washington) & Defence Attache	Major General F H R Howes CB OBE

Defence Equipment & Support Appointments	
Chief of Materiel (Fleet) (& Chief of Fleet Support on the Navy Board)	Vice Admiral S R Lister CB OBE
Director Ship Acquisition	Rear Admiral H H Parker
Chief of Strategic Systems Executive	Rear Admiral M A Beverstock
Director Submarines	Rear Admiral M P Wareham