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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000. MINISTRY OF DEFENCE POLICE: CHIEF CONSTABLE E-MAIL ADDRESS.

I refer to your e.mail of 23 October 2015, which we acknowledged on 26 October 2015.

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

In your e-mail of 23 October 2015, you requested:

"Please supply me with the chief constable's full e-mail address. This will be the e-mail address consisting of your chief constable's name followed by your force's pnn.police.uk domain.

As initials, lettering, hyphens or dots are not always consistent between e-mail address and within the spelling of names then I am unable to 'guess' the e-mail address and require it in full.

I will not accept e-mail addresses assigned to the chief constable's office or e-mail addresses that do not contain the chief constable's name within the e-mail address as satisfying this FOI request.

Please note that I have made an extensive internet search for this e-mail address and am unable to find it. However, should you choose to reject this request under the exemption that the information requested is already in the public domain, then I give you permission to

dispose of this request under FOI and treat it as a Business as Usual request in it's place, on the condition that the requested information is supplied or linked to in full"

A search for the information has now been completed and I can confirm that the information in scope of your request is held.

The Chief Constable's full e-mail address is:

Alfred.Hitchcock101@mod.uk

However, may I suggest you use MDP-CC@mod.uk if you are minded to send a communication to the Chief Constable, MDP, because that account is constantly monitored.

If you are not satisfied with this response or 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 Team, 1st Floor, MOD Main Building, Whitehall, London SW1A 2HB (email 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 the 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