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[REDACTED]  
By email – [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED],

**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000: MINISTRY OF DEFENCE POLICE: MONEY SPENT ON HIRE CARS FROM 2013-16**

We refer to your email dated 24 August 2016 which was acknowledged on 25 August 2016.

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

In your email of the 24 August 2016 you requested the following information:

**“1. In the last three calendar years, how much money has your force spent on hire cars? Please break down by 2013-14, 2014-15, and 2015-16.**

**If possible, for each year, please break down the costs for policing/other use.**

**B.) By 'other use', I refer to times hire cars were used to drive to meetings, hired by management, etc. However if this doesn't make sense or you don't hold this information, please exclude from my request.”**

A search for information has now been completed and I can confirm that information in scope of your request is held but in financial years and not calendar years as requested.

**1. In the last three calendar years, how much money has your force spent on hire cars? Please break down by 2013-14, 2014-15, and 2015-16.**

Under Section 16 (Advice and Assistance), the Ministry of Defence Police (MDP) has provided the money spent on hire cars below but in a financial year format.

FY1314 – £489,268  
FY1415 – £658,907  
FY1516 – £544,262

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No information held. This information is not recorded.

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 Compliance team, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, MOD Main Building, Whitehall, London SW1A 2HB (email [CIO-FOI-IR@mod.uk](mailto: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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Yours sincerely

**MDP Sec Data Protection and Freedom of Information Office**