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Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you for your email to the Ministry of Defence (MOD) dated 15 November in which you requested the following information:

Thank you for your letter FOI2015/09048 dated 13 October 2015 in which you quoted an example from pages 24 and 25 of the GOTT Policy Instruction. Please provide under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 an electronic copy of this document as it appears to differ from the copy of the policy instruction that I hold.

A search for the information has now been completed within the MOD, and I can confirm that the MOD does hold information within the scope of your request. Please find attached a copy of the requested document.

Please note that personal details (i.e. names and contact details) in the documentation have been redacted for individuals whose details are not considered to be in the public domain. This is in accordance with Section 40 (2) of the FOI Act; this relates to personal Information and is an absolute exemption.

I hope that this response will be helpful to you.

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.org.uk>.

Yours sincerely,

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