



## Ministry of Defence Police

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By email – [REDACTED]

Our Ref: eCase: FOI2015/06881 RFI:161/15  
Date: 4 August 2015

Dear [REDACTED]

### FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000: MINISTRY OF DEFENCE POLICE: FRAUD OFFENCES

I refer to your email dated 31 July 2015 which was acknowledged on 3 August 2015.

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

In your email you requested the following information:

**“1. Please provide: the number of people reported to your force for 'Impersonation of member of police force or special constable' and 'Impersonating a traffic officer' over the last three years.**

**Please provide the information in financial years for the following:**

**2012-13  
2013-14  
2014-15**

**Please break down by:**

- i) The total number of ALL incidents reported**
- ii) Whether the person was arrested**
- iii) whether the person was charged**

**2. Please provide any additional information you hold on each incident. For instance, if the impersonation involved a stolen warrant card, or a person imitating police clothing. If you do not hold this information, please exclude (2.) from my request.”**

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

Year	Incidents reported (i)	Persons arrested (ii)	Persons charged(iii)	Additional info (2)
2012-13	0	0	0	N/A
2013-14	1	1	1	Person showed wallet with MDP warrant card inside impersonating a police officer.
2014-15	1	0	0	Phone call impersonating a police officer trying to obtain information. Alleged offender was never identified.

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, 1<sup>st</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.

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

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