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Dear

Thank you for your email date of 4 October 2015 requesting the following information:

"I would like to know if under the governments plans is there any indication you would be giving tenants in SFA the right to buy?

Do you have any plans to sell of the SFA house in brockenhurst, near HMS Sultan?"

I am treating your correspondence as a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

In relation to the first part of your request, as occupants of Service Family Accommodation are licensees by virtue of employment (as opposed to tenants) then existing Right to Buy scheme does not apply.

Secondly, there are no plans to dispose of the Service Family Accommodation in Brockhurst adjacent to HMS Sultan.

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, <a href="http://www.ico.gov.uk">http://www.ico.gov.uk</a>.

I trust that this has sufficiently answered your query.

Yours sincerely,

**DIO Secretariat**