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Dear ,

# FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000: MINISTRY OF DEFENCE POLICE: HOW MANY PEOPLE IN THE 60+ AGE BRACKET WERE ARRESTED.

I refer to your email dated 14th March 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 14th March 2016 you requested the following information:

"Please could you tell me how many people in the 60+ age bracket were arrested, with a breakdown year by year between 2010 to now?

Could I have a breakdown of 60-70, 70-80, 80-90 and 90-100?

Please could I have a list of the most frequent reasons for arrest/crime type by year and age? How many of these arrests led to charges?

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

The information provided is the number of crimes by individuals aged 60 and over that have been recorded on the Force Crime system only.

Please see information at Annex A attached.

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 <u>CIO-FOI-IR@mod.uk</u>). 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 (<a href="http://www.ico.org.uk">http://www.ico.org.uk</a>).

Yours sincerely

MDP Sec Data Protection and Freedom of Information Office

#### Annex A to FOI2016/03207 RFI 95/16 - People over 60 arrested and charged.

#### 2010

**Age 60 - 70** – 14 people arrested – 10 of these people charged. **Most frequent arrest/crime type -** Trespass, Assault.

Age 70 - 80 - 3 people arrested - 2 of these people charged. Most frequent arrest/crime type - Theft

### <u> 2011</u>

**Age 60 - 70** – 10 people arrested – 9 of these people charged. **Most frequent arrest/crime type** – Theft, Fraud, Criminal Damage

**Age 70 - 80** – 1 person arrested – 1 person charged. **Most frequent arrest/crime type -** Fraud

#### 2012

**Age 60 - 70** – 18 people arrested – 14 of these people charged. **Most frequent arrest/crime type** – Theft, Trespass, Breach of the Peace

#### 2013

**Age 60 - 70** – 4 people arrested – 3 of these people charged. **Most frequent arrest/crime type** – Vandalism. Theft, Trespass

## 2014

**Age 60 - 70** – 2 people arrested – 2 of these people charged. **Most frequent arrest/crime type -** Breach of the Peace

**Age 70 - 80** – 1 person arrested – 1 person charged. **Most frequent arrest/crime type** – Fraud.

## <u>2015</u>

**Age 60 - 70** – 8 people arrested – 6 of these people charged. **Most frequent arrest/crime type -** Vandalism, Theft

**Age 70 - 80** – 3 people arrested – 2 of these people charged. **Most frequent arrest/crime type** – Vandalism, Theft

# **2016**

Age 60 - 70 - 1 person arrested - no charges