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By email – [REDACTED]

Our Ref: eCase: FOI2015/09576 RFI: 222/15
Date: 16 November 2015

Dear [REDACTED],

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000: MINISTRY OF DEFENCE POLICE: HATE CRIME DATA

I refer to your email dated 30 October 2015 which was acknowledged on 2 November 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) The number of hate crimes recorded under the strand of race or ethnicity; for the periods

- 1st March 2015 to 30 October 2015
- 1st March 2014 to 28 February 2015
- 1st March 2013 to 28 February 2014
- 1st March 2012 to 28 February 2013
- 1st March 2011 to 28 February 2012
- 1st March 2010 to 28 February 2011

2) The number of hate crimes recorded under the strand of religion or beliefs; for the periods

- 1st March 2015 to 30 October 2015
- 1st March 2014 to 28 February 2015
- 1st March 2013 to 28 February 2014
- 1st March 2012 to 28 February 2013
- 1st March 2011 to 28 February 2012
- 1st March 2010 to 28 February 2011”

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

1) The number of hate crimes recorded under the strand of race or ethnicity; for the periods

- 1st March 2015 to 30 October 2015

0 crimes recorded with a race or ethnicity marker.

- 1st March 2014 to 28 February 2015

2 crimes recorded with a race or ethnicity marker.

- 1st March 2013 to 28 February 2014

1 crime recorded with a race or ethnicity marker.

- 1st March 2012 to 28 February 2013

2 crimes recorded with a race or ethnicity marker.

- 1st March 2011 to 28 February 2012

9 crimes recorded with a race or ethnicity marker.

- 1st March 2010 to 28 February 2011

4 crimes recorded with a race or ethnicity marker.

2) The number of hate crimes recorded under the strand of religion or beliefs; for the periods

- 1st March 2015 to 30 October 2015

0 crimes recorded with a race or ethnicity marker.

- 1st March 2014 to 28 February 2015

0 crimes recorded with a race or ethnicity marker.

- 1st March 2013 to 28 February 2014

0 crimes recorded with a race or ethnicity marker.

- 1st March 2012 to 28 February 2013

0 crimes recorded with a race or ethnicity marker.

- 1st March 2011 to 28 February 2012

0 crimes recorded with a race or ethnicity marker.

- 1st March 2010 to 28 February 2011

0 crimes recorded with a race or ethnicity marker.

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, 1st Floor, MOD Main Building, Whitehall, London SW1A 2HB (email 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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