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Dear [REDACTED]

Release of Information

Thank you for your correspondence dated 13 April 2016 requesting the following information:

*'Sailors detained under Section 169 - Schedule 12 of the Armed Forces Act 2006. My enquiry is about the statistics... how many sailors are detained ( for example, in 2015) under this Act/Section (rather than Mental Health Act)?'*

Your enquiry has been considered to be a request for information in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

The Department can confirm that during 2015 no Royal Navy personnel were detained under Section 169 – Schedule 12 of the Armed Forces Act 2006.

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, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Zone N, MOD Main Building, Whitehall, SW1A 2HB (e-mail [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 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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