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Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your email of 18 May 2015 requesting the following information:

"Please could I have a copy of the provisional SI report for the Moray Firth Tornado accident, as presented by the SI panel prior to Convening Authorities review."

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

The information you have requested falls entirely within the scope of the absolute exemptions provided for at sections 21. The information you have requested is available at the following link <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/service-inquiry-accident-involving-tornado-zd743-and-tornado-zd812-over-moray-firth>

Under Section 16 of the Act (Advice and Assistance) you may find it helpful to note that the Service Inquiry Panel did not produce a provisional report; DG MAA was presented with their final report, which he accepted and then added his convening authority comments at part 1.6.

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, <http://www.ico.org.uk>.

Yours sincerely,

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