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Dear

Thank you for your email of 19 March 2015 which requested information on Ministry of Defence (MOD) procurement systems and contract management, as shown in the attached.

I am treating your email as a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) 2000. A search for the information has now been completed within the MOD, and I can confirm that information in scope of your request is held. Answers to your questions are included in the attached table and you may also find the attached policy document useful.

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

Yours sincerely,

