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Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you for your e-mail of 1 February 2016 requesting the following information:

*"Can you supply the information on how many flight arrivals or departures occur at Northolt Airport between the hours of 22:00 and 07:00 within the past 6 weeks, and indicate if they are civilian or military flights.*

*Also, are you aware of any airplane related activity on the airport especially between the hours of midnight and 2am during this time period."*

I am treating your correspondence as a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA). After a search of our records I can confirm that information is held within the scope of your request.

The table below shows the information you requested.

<b>Flight arrivals/departures between 2200hrs – 0700hrs for the period:</b>	<b>Civilian aircraft movements</b>	<b>Military aircraft movements</b>	<b>Aircraft related activity between 0000hrs – 0200hrs</b>
<b>21 Dec 2015 – 30 Jan 2016</b>	0	11	1 Military aircraft departure

Each take-off and each landing is recorded as a separate, single movement (i.e. if an aircraft lands and late takes off again, it is recorded as two movements).

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.gov.uk>.

Yours sincerely

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