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Dear [REDACTED]

Release of Information

Thank you for your correspondence dated 7 June 2016 requesting the following information:

*'Could you supply a list of 4\*, 3\* and 2\* officers on the active list of the Royal Navy and Royal Marines as of June/July 2016.'*

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

I can confirm that the Department holds the information that you have requested and is attached at Annex A to this letter.

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

Navy Command Secretariat – FOI Section

**FLAG & GENERAL APPOINTMENTS  
AS AT 24 JUN 16**

<b>Appointment</b>	<b>Incumbent</b>	<b>Assumed</b>
<b><i>Navy Command</i></b>		
1SL/CNS	Admiral Sir Philip JONES KCB ADC	08-Apr-16
2SL/DCNS	Vice Admiral S J WOODCOCK OBE	10-Mar-15
Fleet Commander	Vice Admiral B J KEY CBE	10-Feb-16
ACNS(Pers)/NAVSEC/FORes	Rear Admiral S P WILLIAMS CVO	06-Mar-15
COMOPS	Rear Admiral R K TARRANT CB	02-Oct-15
ACNS(Cap)/COS HQ	Rear Admiral P M BENNETT CB OBE	23-May-16
FOST	Rear Admiral J R H CLINK OBE	27-Jul-15
COMMARFOR	Rear Admiral A J BURTON	08-Jan-16
Chaplain of the Fleet	The Ven I J WHEATLEY QHC	18-Dec-14
ACNS(Spt)	Rear Admiral R STOKES	14-Apr-15
FOSNI/ACNS(SM)	Rear Admiral J S WEALE OBE	18-May-15
ACNS(A&C)	Rear Admiral K E BLOUNT OBE	29-May-15
ACNS(Pol)	Rear Admiral N W HINE	01-Sep-15
ACNS(Ships)	Rear Admiral C R S GARDNER	30-Nov-15
COMUKAMPHIBFOR/CGRM	Major General R A MAGOWAN CBE	03-Jun-16
<b><i>MOD</i></b>		
VCDS	General Sir Gordon MESSENGER KCB DSO* OBE ADC	16-May-16
ACDS(CFD)	Rear Admiral T P FRASER CB	28-Jan-14
ACDS(Nuc & Chem, Bio)	Rear Admiral M A BEVERSTOCK	12-Dec-14
National Hydrographer/DCE UKHO	Rear Admiral T M LOWE	11-Aug-15
ACDS(DE)	Rear Admiral S J ANCONA CBE	14-Oct-13
Director Carrier Strike	Rear Admiral G A MACKAY	27-May-14
Director MAA	Rear Admiral P A CHIVERS OBE	08-Dec-15
<b><i>JFC</i></b>		
DG JFD & Dir DefAc	Vice Admiral D L POTTS CB	18-Sep-14
Surgeon General	Surgeon Vice Admiral A J WALKER OBE QHS	17-Dec-15
Dep Comd RCDS	Rear Admiral J M L KINGWELL CBE	03-May-16
COS JFC	Rear Admiral A D RADAKIN	29-Jan-16
<b><i>DE&amp;S</i></b>		
CofM (Fleet)	Vice Admiral S R LISTER CB OBE	27-Nov-13
Director Ships Acquisition	Rear Admiral H H PARKER CB	07-Jul-14
Director Submarines Acquisition	Rear Admiral M P WAREHAM	30-Sep-13
CSSE	Rear Admiral K A BECKETT CBE	04-Nov-14
<b><i>NATO &amp; Foreign</i></b>		
Commander Maritime Command	Vice Admiral C C C JOHNSTONE CB CBE	13-Oct-15
Deputy Adviser MOI	Major General M L SMITH MBE	24-Jun-16
DEPCOMSTRIKFORNATO	Rear Admiral P A McALPINE CBE	06-Jul-15
Dir Ops & Plans, Intl Mil Staff	Major General T J BEVIS CBE	31-May-16