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Dear

Thank you for your email of 22 July 2015 where you requested:

information on the employment of Royals Signals Reserve Majors and Lieutenant Colonels on Full Time Reserve Service (FTRS) contracts for each financial year (April - March) from FY 2008/09 to FY 2014/05 . Specifically:

- By rank and year, for each Financial Year from 2008/9 to 2014/15, how many FTRS Full Commitment (FC) contracts were awarded to R Signals Reserve Majors and Lt Cols.
- 2. By rank and year, for each Financial Year from 2008/9 to 2014/15, how many FTRS Limited Commitment (LC) contracts were awarded to R Signals Reserve Majors and Lt Cols.
- By rank and year, for each Financial Year from 2008/9 to 2014/15, how many FTRS
 Home Commitment (HC) contracts were awarded to R Signals Reserve Majors and Lt
 Cols.
- By rank and year, for each Financial Year from 2008/9 to 2014/15, how many FTRS Additional Duty Commitment (ADC) contracts were awarded to R Signals Reserve Majors and Lt Cols.

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

A search for the information has now been completed within the Ministry of Defence, and I can confirm that information in scope of your request is held. The information you requested is attached. You will note that we have not broken down the detail as fully as requested as the numbers are relatively low so individuals could be potentially identified. Similarly, the numbers have been rounded to ensure confidentiality.

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.

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Yours sincerely,

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