## EXTERNAL CONSULTATION ON THE AMENDMENT OF MINISTRY OF DEFENCE ARMED FORCES COMPENSATION SCHEME NATIONAL STATISTICS

## **Detail of Outcome**

- 1. Defence Statistics Health opened a consultation with internal and external stakeholders on 22 June 2017, regarding the following proposals:
  - To reduce the frequency of the Armed Forces Compensation Scheme National Statistics from bi-annual to annual.
  - To remove all tables referring to quarterly information, and present summary statistics by financial year only.
- 2. The consultation period ended on 22 July 2017. There were no responses during the consultation period. Since there were no objections, Defence Statistics Health has decided to continue with the proposals to reduce the frequency of publication of the AFCS National Statistics, and remove tables presenting quarterly information.
- 3. The last bi-annual report, presenting statistics as at 31 March 2017, was published on 22 June 2017. The first annual report will present an update as at 31 March 2018, to be published in June 2018.