



Ministry of Defence

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Main Building
Whitehall
London SW1A 2HB
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Our Reference: [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you for your e-mail to the Ministry of Defence (MOD) [REDACTED] in which you requested the following information:

1. The total number of tickets purchased for the MOD lottery (MOTTO) for the most recent draw available.
For that same draw:
2. The number of individuals who purchased the maximum number of tickets (20).
3. The number of tickets purchased by ex-MOD employees.

I am treating your correspondence as a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) 2000. A review of our data holdings has been completed, and I can confirm that the MOD does hold some information within scope of your request. The answers below address your questions regarding the January 2017 draw in turn.

1. 29,967
2. 92
3. 0

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.org.uk>

Yours sincerely,

Defence People

