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Dear [REDACTED]

Release of Information

Thank you for your correspondence dated 12 June 2017 requesting the following information:

'Could you please provide the information of the year 2014 to 2017 regarding:

- 1) The number of applicant applied to the role of Air Engineer Officer*
- 2) The number of applicant, who applied for the role of Air Engineer Officer, passed AIB*
- 3) The number of vacancies for each engineer officer role?*

Regarding to question 3, I would only need the number of vacancies for the role of Air Engineer Officer.'

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 Ministry of Defence holds the information that you have requested which can be found at Annex A of 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, Ground Floor, Zone D, 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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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

Air Engineering Officer Recruiting

	2014/2015*	2015/2016	2016/2017
Applicants	120	164	175
AIB	10	27	24
Vacancies	15	25	19

* Please note that recruitment is undertaken by Financial Year so this is how the information has been presented.

Also please note that these figures relate to the numbers of applications and the Admiralty Interview Board's (AIB) passed in the years in question – those who apply or pass AIB in a given year will not necessarily enter training in that same year.

