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Thank you for your email of 23 March 2017 requesting the following information:

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"When is all or part of the Dalton Barracks Army Base in Abingdon, Oxfordshire going to be released by the MOD from operational use and therefore available for redevelopment? If it is going to be released in parts, please could you state which parts are to be made available and when?"

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

A search for the information has now been completed within the Ministry of Defence (MOD) and I can confirm that all the information in scope of your request is held.

The information you have requested can be found below.

Dalton Barracks is estimated to be disposed of in 2029. It is not known at this time whether the site will be sold as a whole or in various parts.

Under Section 16 of the Act (Advice and Assistance) you may find it helpful to note that any further updates on the disposal of Dalton Barracks will be published on the following website:

https://data.gov.uk/dataset/defence-infrastructure-organisation-disposals-database-house-of-commons-report

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, 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,

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