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| Ministry of Justice  | November 2017 |

**Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) Request – 171027008**

You asked for the following information from the Ministry of Justice (MoJ):

**In 2016 how many persons were sentenced to life imprisonment with a tariff length of A) 20 to 24 years B) 25 to 29 years c) 30 to 34 years d) 35 to 40 years e) 41 years +**

Your request has been handled under the FOIA.

I can confirm that the department holds the information that you have asked for and it can be viewed in the attached annex.

Please note that as a result of a revision of the recording of data covering tariffs at sentence, we have revised some figures for earlier years that were sent to you as part of a previous FOI request ref 106251 (366-16). The attached annex contains all data from 2005-2016 including revised data from 2005-2015.