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E-mail address: [REDACTED]

Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you for your email of 25 June in which you requested the following information:

*"Grateful if you could answer the following questions*

*How were the non executive directors of DFRMO selected?*

*Do they receive any payments?*

*How much are these payments predicted to be over the next 12 years?"*

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

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

The non-executive members were invited onto the Defence Fire and Rescue Management Board on the basis of the appointments they currently occupy. The non-executive members of the Board will provide independent advice to Defence in three areas; Aviation Fire and Rescue; Fire Risk Management; and improvements and change in the wider Fire and Rescue sector. The non-executive members will not receive payment for undertaking their roles with the Board.

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Yours sincerely,

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