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Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you for your email of 07 August 2018 concerning HMS Ocean's Type 997 radar. It has been handled in accordance with the Freedom of Information (FOI) Act 2000.

The information you have requested is provided below:

Was the former HMS Ocean's Type 997 radar sold to the Brazilian Navy or was it dismantled before selling?

I can confirm that the Ministry of Defence holds information relevant to your request.

As part of the sale of HMS Ocean to Brazil, UK specific hardware and software was removed from the Type 997 Radar prior to the handover of the ship to Brazilian Navy. Modified hardware and software to replace that removed will be fitted at a later date.

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 Deputy Chief Information Officer, 2nd 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.gov.uk>.

Yours sincerely

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