



# Ministry of Defence Police

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Dear [REDACTED]

**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000: MINISTRY OF DEFENCE POLICE:  
SOFTWARE APPLICATIONS AND GDPR.**

We refer to your email dated 30 May 2019 to the Ministry of Defence Police which was acknowledged on the same date.

We are treating your email as a request for information in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA 2000).

In your email you requested the following information:

- “1. What percentage of software applications are developed in-house vs. supplied by third parties (commercial software and open source components)?**
  - a. Less than 10 percent**
  - b. More than 10 percent, but less than 50 percent**
  - c. More than 50 percent**
- 2. What percentage of your software development organisation has received data privacy related training?**
  - a. Less than 10 percent**
  - b. More than 10 percent, but less than 50 percent**
  - c. More than 50 percent**
- 3. In the past five years, has your organisation suffered a data privacy incident which would now be required to be reported under GDPR?**
  - a. What processes were implemented to address shortcomings contributing to these incidents?**

4. Has your organisation suffered at least one data privacy incident which was reported under GDPR?
- a. Yes
  - b. No
5. To which position(s) does your data protection officer report?
- a. CISO
  - b. CRMO
  - c. CIO
  - d. CFO
  - e. CEO
6. Has your organisation received any requests under the GDPR "Right to Access" provisions?
- a. Yes
  - b. No

A search for information has now been completed by the Ministry of Defence Police and I can confirm that we do hold information in scope of your request.

- 1. Less than 10 percent
- 2. The Ministry of Defence Police do not have a software development organisation
- 3. Yes
- 3. b. Management Action and Training
- 4. Yes
- 5. The Ministry of Defence Data protection officer reports to SIRO (Senior Information Risk Owner)
- 6. Yes

If you have any queries regarding the content of this letter, please contact this office in the first instance.

If you wish to complain about the handling of your request, or the content of this response, you can request 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.gov.uk).

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Yours sincerely

**MDP Secretariat and Freedom of Information Office**