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Dear

Thank you for your email of 2 August 2019, in response to my letter of 12 July 2019 seeking clarification, in which you requested the following information:

thank you for your email. As per your additional request, we are specifically looking for the following list of data for years 2010,2011,2012,2013,2014,2015,2016,2017,2018,2019

vehicle_type make model model_year series trim body drive number_seats number_seat_rows number_doors number_airbags steering length_mm width_mm height_mm weight_empty_kg track_front_mm track_rear_mm wheel_base_mm wheel_size fuel_type_primary fuel_capacity_l fuel_consumption_combined_l_km fuel_consumption_extra_urban_l_km fuel_consumption_urban_l_km engine_full engine_displacement_ccm engine_power_kw engine_cylinders engine_torque engine_compression_ratio engine_model transmission transmission_full number_gears battery_info battery_type plant_company_name plant_country plant_state plant_city air_conditioning emission_standard co2_emission axle_ratio market engine_code

This was further to your original email of 4 July 2019 requesting:

We would like to request access / export of data represented in this report / dataset, based on the Freedom of Information Act:

https://eur01.safelinks.protection.outlook.com/?url=https%3A%2F%2Fdata.gov.uk%2Fdataset%2F82315
1bd-709f-4849-ad4f-89c2d3cd1134%2Fvehicles&data=02%7C01%7CCIOFOI%40mod.gov.uk%7C7bfd9e251fca4a02d46708d7006d642b%7Cbe7760ed5953484bae95d0a16dfa0
9e5%7C0%7C1%7C636978342144387652&sdata=0WC2GYV2UJM3RPD42flnG0THwHWg9jjmRB
MZe43VyN0%3D&reserved=0=

We are a smart data company and we provide vehicle reports to our customers. These reports include general vehicle information, as well as information about vehicle history (accidents, thefts, leasing information). Our customers include private companies as well as several EU government organizations.

Ideally, we'd like to request the full set, including full history available.

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 some information in scope of your request is held under the Phoenix I and Phoenix II contract for lease/hire vehicles. This is attached. The data provided commences 2012 and we do not hold information prior to this date. This is because, before 2012 and the start of the Phoenix contract, vehicle lease/hire information was not recorded centrally by the MOD. Lease/hire contracts involved various different contracts covering many geographic regions and this information was administered independently at each of those regions.

Under Section 16 of the Act (Advice and Assistance), you may find it helpful to note that although the data set does not provide information under all the criteria headings which you asked for, it should contain sufficient information to enable you to source the additional information you require.

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). Please note that any request for an internal review should be made within 40 working days of the date of this response. If you remain dissatisfied following an internal review, you may raise your complaint directly to the Information Commissioner under the provisions of Section 50 of the Freedom of Information Act. Please note that the Information Commissioner will not normally investigate your case until the MOD internal review process has been completed. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire, SK9 5AF. Further details of the role and powers of the Information Commissioner can be found on the Commissioner's website at https://ico.org.uk/.

Yours sincerely,

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