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Dear [REDACTED]

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

With reference to this FOI answer FOI2019/06365,

- 1) *When did or when will 1 RMP and 3 RMP move from 1st Military Police Brigade to 101 Logistic Brigade?*
- 2) *When will or did HQ 1st Military Brigade move from 3rd UK Division HQ (ref <https://www.army.mod.uk/who-we-are/corps-regiments-and-units/adjutant-generals-corps/provost/>) to Regional Command?*

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

For part one of your request, 1st and 3rd Regiments Royal Military Police have been part of 101st Logistic Brigade since April 2018.

For part two of your request, Headquarters 1st Military Brigade has not moved from 3rd United Kingdom Division to Regional Command.

Under Section 16 of the Act (Advice and Assistance) it might be helpful if I explain that the Military Police capability remains under the command of the Chief of the General Staff (CGS) and retains full responsibility for investigations. To better coordinate the close support policing, the responsibility for day-to-day activities (tactical command) of 1st and 3rd Regiments Royal Military Police has been delegated to General Officer Commanding 3rd United Kingdom Division. General Officer Commanding Regional Command has administrative control for the remaining elements of the Brigade.

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Yours sincerely,

Army Secretariat