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Ref: FOI 2019/13795

[REDACTED]

20 January 2020

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your correspondence of 10 November 2019 requesting the following information:

*Please send me a copy of the outcomes from any investigations run by London Wing Air Cadets in the last 12 months.*

In your further correspondence of 28 November 2019, in response to our request for you to clarify your question, you requested the following:

*"Under Section 16 (Duty to Advise and Assist) FOIA please say how you define "types" of investigation. When you explain your question better, I will give you an answer."*

On the 21 December 2019 in response to our letter of 5 December 2019, you responded with:

*"Thank you. I am not asking if for investigations run in partnership with other organisations. Only those run by the Royal Air Force Air Cadets."*

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, and I can confirm that information in scope of your request is held.

Copies of the outcomes of investigations carried out by London Wing Air Cadets over the 12-month period to 16 November 2019, are attached at Annex A.

In accordance with the Data Protection Act, under S40(2) of FOIA (third party personal data), information contained within the communications under Annex A is withheld as exempt information. This is an Absolute Exemption and not subject to the Public Interest Test. Information that does not fall within scope of this request has been redacted.

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

If you are not satisfied with this response or 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 Information Rights Compliance Team, Ground Floor, MOD Main Building, Whitehall, SW1A

2HB. 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 normally investigate your case until the MOD internal process has been completed. The Information Commissioner can be contact 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/>

Your sincerely,

[Original signed]

Air Command Secretariat.

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Annex A

**RESTRICTED - STAFF**

**AIR Cadets Casework PRINT Status: Live - Group: London and South East**

**London (Closed)**

Type	Person / Object			Unit	Start Date	Synopsis	Diary	B/F Date
Report from LADO regarding a referral about a Ln Wg CFAV	Section 40			Section 40	Out of Scope	Out of scope	Out of scope	Closed
Out of scope						Out of scope	Out of scope	

Allegation cadet in possession of a lock knife	Section 40	Section 40	Section 40	Section 40	Out of Scope	Section 40 email to OC Wg, reporting cadet in attendance at Wing Sh activity and was, allegedly, in possession of a lock knife.	Out of scope	Closed
Inappropriate Facebook messaging	Section 40	Section 40	Section 40	Section 40	Out of Scope	Inappropriate Facebook message	Out of scope	Closed

CFAV in relationship with cadet	Section 40	[Redacted]	[Redacted]	[Redacted]	Out of Scope	Section 40 [Redacted]	Out of scope [Redacted]	Dismissed - Closed
Allegation of assault	Section 40	[Redacted]	[Redacted]	[Redacted]	Out of Scope	Reported by Section 40 assaulted [Redacted] on leaving the Sqn.	Out of scope [Redacted]	Closed

Possession of a controlled drug	Section 40	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]	Out of Scope	6 Jul 19 - Section 40 informed OC Wg whist attending a DofE exped the named cadet was found in possession of a controlled drug (Canabis) and associated paraphernalia.	Out of scope	Dismissed - Closed
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