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Dear [REDACTED],

Thank you for your email of 5 November 2019 requesting the following information:

"I would like to know the number of Ministry of Defense employee laptops that have been stolen over the last 3 years, with the amount split by year."

We wrote to you on 26 November 2019 to clarify what period you wanted us to search for and you confirmed the following on 26 November 2019:

"I can confirm I would like the Financial Year data, so 1st April 2016 to March 31 2019."

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

The information you have requested can be found below:

Total number of laptop thefts for period 1 April 2016 to 31 March 2019 = 90.

Financial Year	Total laptop thefts
1 April 2016 to 31 March 2017	26
1 April 2017 to 31 March 2018	24
1 April 2018 to 31 March 2019	40

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.

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Yours sincerely,

Information Systems and Services (ISS) Secretariat