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Dear ██████████,

Thank you for your letter of 27 April 2020 requesting the following information:

1. *Does the Joint Fire Synthetic Trainer contract involve Ferranti Technologies, QuantaDyn (US) and Elbit Systems UK?*
2. *What other companies are involved in the Joint Fire Synthetic Trainer contract?*
3. *What contracts, besides from the aforementioned, does the MOD have with Ferranti Technologies and Elbit Systems UK since 2007?*

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

A search for the information has now been completed within the Ministry of Defence, and I can confirm that information in scope of your request is held and the responses are below.

1. Yes.
2. Elbit Systems Limited (Israel);  
Bohemia;  
Simcentric;  
D3A;  
RINA;  
Novatech;  
Barco;  
C3IA; and  
RISIKO.
3. **CONTRACTS PLACED WITH FERRANTI TECHNOLOGIES LIMITED SINCE 2007**

Enabling contract for repair of Chinook Display Night Vision Goggles (DNVG);  
Provision of DNVG NG Upgrade Ground Acceptance Tests;  
Repair of Sea King, Puma and Merlin DNVG;  
Purchase of DNVG Installation;  
Supply of DNVG Spares;  
Enabling Contract for support to ADAWS, CACS AND SEAWOLF DBE Equipment;

PDS, Spares and Repairs for Ships Compass Transmission Systems Equipment;  
Purchase of DNVG Line Replacement Units;  
**Emergency Personal Locator Beacons;**  
DNVG;  
DNVG SUPPORT – Contract re-let;  
**Provision of Close Air Support Emulation and Simulation;**  
**DNVG Repair and Spares;** and  
**Joint Fire Synthetic Trainer.**

**CONTRACTS PLACED WITH ELBIT SYSTEMS UK LIMITED SINCE 2007**

**MORPHEUS Battlefield Management Application;**  
**Provision of GFA for the Dismounted Joint Fires Integrator Competition;**  
RM AGILE C2 - ELBIT SYSTEMS UK Capability; and  
**CCDT/607/ELB RPV Programme.**

Under Section 16 of the Act (Advice and Assistance) you may find it helpful to note that in relation to the response to your third question, one further contract was placed with Ferranti Technologies Limited that ran from 27 October 2010 to 2 December 2010, however there is no record of the contract title. The contract titles in bold print are current, all other contracts are no longer extant.

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

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Yours sincerely,

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