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Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your email of 19 June 2020 requesting the following information:

Is it possible that you might be able to advise as to the following for the 7 year span of data 2011/12 to 2018/19:

The number and proportion of IOT graduates, by year, that:

- *Are Direct Entry (non-graduates) and therefore leave RAF Cranwell as an Acting Pilot Officer*
- *Graduate in the rank of Pilot Officer*
- *Graduate in the rank of Flying Officer*
- *Graduate in the rank of Flight Lieutenant*

If possible an additional request would be to offer specific information with regards to the above questions for Ops Support (Regiment) Branch.

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

I can confirm that the MOD holds some information in scope of your request. The information you have requested can be found at annex A.

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 at the address above. 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 (e-mail CIO-FOI-IR@mod.uk). 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 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,

[Original signed]

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Enc. Annex A - Number and Proportion of Initial Officer Training (IOT) Graduates for the period FY11-12 to FY18-19.

Number and Proportion of Initial Officer Training (IOT) Graduates for the period FY11-12 to FY18-19.

Financial Year	Cse	IOT Cses - Rank on Graduation									
		DE A Plt Off		Plt Off		Fg Off		Flt Lt		Total	
		No	%	No	%	No	%	No	%	No	%
FY 11/12	IOT	5	6%	7	8%	72	86%	0	0%	84	100%
FY 12/13	IOT	7	5%	13	10%	111	83%	2	2%	133	100%
FY 13/14	IOT	1	1%	82	43%	106	56%	1	1%	190	100%
FY 14/15	IOT	0	0%	118	38%	192	62%	1	0%	311	100%
FY15/16	IOT	0	0%	103	34%	203	66%	0	0%	306	100%
FY 16/17	IOT	0	0%	135	30%	319	70%	2	0%	456	100%
FY 17/18	IOT	0	0%	59	28%	151	72%	0	0%	210	100%
FY 18/19	IOT	0	0%	173	35%	316	65%	0	0%	489	100%

Financial Year	Cse	IOT Cses - Regt Officers Rank on Graduation									
		A Plt Off		Plt Off		Fg Off		Flt Lt		Total	
		No	%	No	%	No	%	No	%	No	%
FY 11/12	IOT	2	17%	0	0%	10	83%	0	0%	12	100%
FY 12/13	IOT	4	14%	1	4%	23	82%	0	0%	28	100%
FY 13/14	IOT	0	0%	23	77%	7	23%	0	0%	30	100%
FY 14/15	IOT	0	0%	25	93%	2	7%	0	0%	27	100%
FY15/16	IOT	0	0%	14	67%	7	33%	0	0%	21	100%
FY 16/17	IOT	0	0%	18	82%	4	18%	0	0%	22	100%
FY 17/18	IOT	0	0%	12	55%	10	45%	0	0%	22	100%
FY 18/19	IOT	0	0%	19	59%	13	41%	0	0%	32	100%

Direct Entrant Acting Pilot Officer (DE A Plt Off)

Pilot Officer (Plt Off)

Flying Officer (Fg Off)

Flight Lieutenant (Flt Lt)

