

Ministry of Defence Defence Business Services Secretariat Room 6303 Tomlinson House Norcross Thornton-Cleveleys FY5 3WP

Ref: FOI2020/11360

Email: DBSRES-Secretariat@mod.gov.uk



3 November 2020

Dear Mr Thank you for your email of 9 October 2020 to the Ministry of Defence (MOD)

requesting

the following information:

"Please could I obtain a copy of all payments between the MOD and the University of York Students Union (<u>yusu.org</u>), as well as payments to the University of York (<u>york.ac.uk</u>) - this is specifically for recruitment purposes such as payments to appear at freshers fair/on campus.

The scope of the request is all payments (and payments agreed to / accepted but not yet invoiced) from 2017 to today."

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.

I can confirm that since January 2017, there has been one payment between the MOD and the University of York Students Union which was for a stand to appear at a freshers fair. The details of which can be found within the attached Annex.

There have been no payments between the MOD and the University of York since January 2017.

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 <u>CIO-FOI-IR@mod.gov.uk</u>). Please note that any request for an internal review should be made within 40 working days of the date of this response.

If you remain dissatisfied following an internal review, you may raise your complaint directly 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 review 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,

Defence Business Services (Secretariat)

## Payments made to the University of York Students Union, on or after 21 Jan 2017

Authorisation Branch Code			Misc Supplier Name	Misc Supplier Payee	Misc Supplier Address	Misc Supplier Bank Acc	Misc Supplier Bank Acc - Masked			Misc Supplier Address Line4		First Payment Date		Amount Excluding Tax (£)	Invoice Tax (£)	Invoice Amount Including Tax (£)
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