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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000: MINISTRY OF DEFENCE POLICE: VICTIMS RIGHT TO REVIEW.

We refer to your email dated 21 September 2020 to the Ministry of Defence Police which was acknowledged on the 22 September 2020.

We are treating your email as a request for information in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA 2000).

In your email you requested the following follow on information:

"In conjunction with the University of Suffolk we are looking at the Victim's Right to Review in stalking or harassment cases.

Firstly, we would like to establish how many VRRs (under the enhanced Code) police forces individually have received for stalking/harassment cases - for the years listed individually below?

Secondly, of those police VRRs received we would like to know how many VRRs have been upheld by police and how many have been declined?

How many that were upheld then succeeded to a prosecution by CPS?

This would be for the:

- Year 2013 the year the VRR came into place on 5th June
- Year 2014
- Year 2015
- Year 2016
- Year 2017
- Year 2018
- Year 2019

Year 2020"

A search for information has now been completed by the Ministry of Defence Police and I can confirm that we do hold information in scope of your request.

Nil

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).

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Yours sincerely

MDP Secretariat and Freedom of Information Office