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Dear ,

Thank you for your email of 4 January 2021 requesting the following information:

I would be very grateful if you could provide data regarding a male new entrant in the WSOp (Crewman) trade:

- 1. The percentage chance of further service, year on year to LoS 40.
- 2. The percentage chance of promotion into rank from Aircrew Cadet and each subsequent rank to Master Aircrew.
- 3. The percentage chance of promotion into rank from Aircrew Cadet to Master Aircrew having already achieved the previous rank.
- 4. Average total length of service on promotion into each rank from Aircrew Cadet to Master Aircrew.
- 5. Average total length of service and average return of service.

In addition could you provide the percentage chance of further service for male Master Aircrew with 22 years LoS.

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

The information which was requested is not available as there is insufficient data from which to base the projection. The new entrants in the NCA cadre are mainly recorded as WSOp Untrained and are not initially assigned to a specialisation on the Joint Personnel Administration system.

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Yours sincerely,

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