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Dear

Thank you for your email of 8 November 2021 to the Ministry of Defence (MOD).

On 11 October 2021, you requested the following:

"Being able to view "Auction closing prices" Would satisfy my request."

You subsequently clarified your request, as follows:

"My interest is in military wheeled vehicles and trailers sold in current auctions at Brightwells Ltd."

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

As you are aware from our earlier FOI reply to you, ref FOI2021/08061, dated 13 August 2021, the MOD does not routinely publish details of auction closing prices.

However, a search of MOD records has determined that some information falling within the scope of your request is held and can be released. The information you have requested covers vehicle auctions held during the current year at Brightwells Ltd and has been collated from data held in MOD secure systems. This can be found enclosed at Annex A.

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). Please note that any request for an internal review should be made within 40 working days of the date of this response.

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Yours sincerely

DE&S Secretariat