



# Ministry of Defence Police

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Dear [REDACTED]

## **FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000: MINISTRY OF DEFENCE POLICE: DOG ATTACKS.**

We refer to your email dated 20<sup>th</sup> June 2022 to the Ministry of Defence Police which was acknowledged on 20<sup>th</sup> June 2022.

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 information:

**For every financial year (April to March) from FY 2016-2017 to FY 2021-2022, please provide the following:**

- The volume of dog attacks reported, investigated, dogs seized, and charges made
- The volume of dogs dangerously out of control reported, investigated, dogs seized, and charges made.

**Please provide your answers in the table provided below.**

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.

		2016 -2017	2017 -2018	2018 -2019	2019 -2020	2020 -2021	2021 -2022
Dog attacks	Reported						
	Investigated						
	Dogs seized						
	Charges						

	made						
Dogs dangerously out of control	Reported					1	
	Investigated					1	
	Dogs seized					0	
	Charges made					0	
Dogs dangerously out of control	Reported					1	
	Investigated					0	
	Dogs seized					0	
	Charges made					0	
Dogs dangerously out of control	Reported					1	
	Investigated					1	
	Dogs seized					0	
	Charges made					0	

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.

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

**MDP Secretariat and Freedom of Information Office**