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Dear [REDACTED]

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000: MINISTRY OF DEFENCE POLICE: 999 CALLS RECEIVED.

We refer to your email dated 7th October 2022 to the Ministry of Defence Police which was acknowledged on the 11th October 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:

Could you please provide answers to the questions below for years 2017, 2018, 2019, 2020, 2021, and if possible, 2023 so far.

1a) How many 999 calls did you take overall, annually?

1b) How many 999 calls annually were identified as being mental ill-health related?

2a) How many 101 calls did you take overall, annually?

2b) How many 101 calls were identified as mental ill-health related?

3a) How many incidents did you deal with in total, annually?

3b) How many incidents were identified as mental ill-health related?

4a) Did you have any mental health triage experts (and/or triage vehicles) designated to deal with mental ill-health incidents for any of these years?

4b) If yes to 4a, how many times was a mental health triage expert (and/or triage vehicle) deployed out each year?

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

1a) How many 999 calls did you take overall, annually?

1b) How many 999 calls annually were identified as being mental ill-health related?

No information held

2a) How many 101 calls did you take overall, annually?

2b) How many 101 calls were identified as mental ill-health related?

No information held

3a) How many incidents did you deal with in total, annually?

3b) How many incidents were identified as mental ill-health related?

Due to a technical fault we cannot currently search incident data before 01/09/2021.

3a) 54,870 (Data taken from 01/09/2021-31/08/2022.
2021 (from 01/09/2021 – 31/12/2021)

3b) 228

4a) Did you have any mental health triage experts (and/or triage vehicles) designated to deal with mental ill-health incidents for any of these years?

No information held.

4b) If yes to 4a, how many times was a mental health triage expert (and/or triage vehicle) deployed out each year?

No information held.

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Yours sincerely

MDP Secretariat and Freedom of Information Office