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Dear [REDACTED]

**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000: MINISTRY OF DEFENCE POLICE:
LOCATIONS FOR PROMOTIONS.**

We refer to your email dated 27th December 2022 to the Ministry of Defence Police which was acknowledged on the 4th January 2023.

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:

Just to round off this FOI enquiry, would you be able to tell me:

- 1. Where the location was and how many vacancies there were for inspectors seeking promotion to chief inspector in 2021.**
- 2. Which locations and how many vacancies in each location there were for inspectors seeking promotion to chief inspector in 2022.**
- 3. Where the locations were and how many vacancies in each location there were for chief inspectors seeking promotion to superintendent in 2021.**
- 4. Where the locations were and how many vacancies in each location there were for chief inspectors seeking promotion to superintendent in 2022.**

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

1. Where the location was and how many vacancies there were for inspectors seeking promotion to chief inspector in 2021.

In 2021 we had 3 Chief Inspector Vacancies, all at Aldermaston.

2. Which locations and how many vacancies in each location there were for inspectors seeking promotion to chief inspector in 2022.

In 2022 we had a total of 11 Chief Inspector Vacancies;

4 at Clyde

3 at Ministry of Defence Police (MDP) Headquarters – RAF Wyton

4 at Aldermaston

3. Where the locations were and how many vacancies in each location there were for chief inspectors seeking promotion to superintendent in 2021.

For the Superintendents process that started at the end of 2021 and into 2022, there were 3 vacancies.

2 at MDP Headquarters – RAF Wyton

1 at AWE Aldermaston.

4. Where the locations were and how many vacancies in each location there were for chief inspectors seeking promotion to superintendent in 2022.

As above, the process ran from 2021 to 2022 for the promotions to Superintendents and there were 3 vacancies. See question 3 for details.

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Yours sincerely

MDP Secretariat and Freedom of Information Office