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Defence Business Services

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Dear III

Thank you for your email of 18 April 2023 to the Ministry of Defence (MOD) requesting the following information:

"By the law of the freedom of information act I'm requesting you let me know who the medal was sent to."

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

A search for the information has now been completed within the Ministry of Defence and I can confirm that all the information in scope of your request is held.

I can confirm that the War Medal 1939-45 was issued to John Loydon (14870546) at his home address in May 2006.

Under Section 16 (Advice and Assistance) the Ministry of Defence Medal Office (MOMDO) will be able to provide you with the address the medal was sent to should you write to them directly at the details below.

Ministry of Defence Medal Office Imjin Barracks, Gloucester GL3 1HW

Email: dbs-medals@mod.gov.uk

Please be aware that requests under the Freedom of Information Act constitute a release to the public at large as they are published. Further information about the FOIA is available at the link below:

https://ico.org.uk/for-the-public/official-information/

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.

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,



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