



# Ministry of Defence Police

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Dear [REDACTED]

## **FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000: MINISTRY OF DEFENCE POLICE: PROTECTION AREAS.**

We refer to your email dated 7<sup>th</sup> May 2023 to the Ministry of Defence Police which was acknowledged on the 9<sup>th</sup> May 2023 by The Ministry of Defence Police.

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:

**I am writing to obtain information about the Ministry of Defence Police in accordance with the Freedom Information Act about:**

**Outside of MoD sites, what sites do you protect?**

**Do you protect any embassies?**

**What classifies as a MoD site that you protect?**

**For mobile patrols, how far away from sites that you protect do you stray?**

A search for information has now been completed I can confirm that the Ministry of Defence Police do hold information in scope of your request.

**Outside of MoD sites, what sites do you protect?**

All locations are advertised on the recruitment website: [Our locations - Ministry of Defence Police \(mod.police.uk\)](https://www.mod.police.uk)

Outside of the MOD sites, we support protective security at important gas installations along the east coast of Scotland and England.

**Do you protect any embassies?**

No

**What classifies as a MoD site that you protect?**

Our jurisdiction is described in the [Ministry of Defence Police Act 1987](#)

**For mobile patrols, how far away from sites that you protect do you stray?**

There is no specified or legislated patrol boundary. This is dependent on the site.

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**