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Dear

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000: MINISTRY OF DEFENCE POLICE: AMOUNT SPENT ON FLIGHTS.

We refer to your email dated 12th July 2023 to the Ministry of Defence, which we acknowledged on the 12th July 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:

Amount spent on flights by your force in 2020, 2021, 2022 (broken down by year, and month)

Amount spent on flights by your force from 1st January - 1st July 2023 (broken down by month if possible)

Flights broken down by whether they are "economy class", "business class", "first class" and "premium cabin"

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

Amount spent on flights by your force in 2020, 2021, 2022 (broken down by year, and month)

All flights taken are Economy Class.

2020			2021	
Month	Amount	Mont	h Amount	
JAN-20	£11,009	JAN-2	1 £3,436	
FEB-20	£45,265	FEB-2	1 -£83	
Mar-20	£0	MAR-2	21 £59	
APR-20	£14,086	APR-2	£4,617	
MAY-20	-£1,231	MAY-2	£2,127	
JUN-20	-£959	JUN-2	£42,812	
JUL-20	£1,328	JUL-2	1 £14,570	
AUG-20	£2,324	AUG-2	£16,975	
SEP-20	£5,098	SEP-2	1 £16,673	
OCT-20	£5,102	OCT-2	£9,444	
NOV-20	£7,873	NOV-2	21 £19,729	
DEC-20	£314	DEC-2	£15,858	
Total	£90,208	Total	£146,216	

Amount spent on flights by your force from 1st January - 1st July 2023 (broken down by month if possible)

2023				
Month	Amount			
JAN-23	£4,689			
FEB-23	£14,118			
MAR-23	£11,241			
APR-23	£18,839			
MAY-23	£17,126			
Jun-23	£0			
Total	£66,013			

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Yours sincerely

MDP Secretariat and Freedom of Information Office