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Dear [REDACTED],

Release of Information

Further to our correspondence of 29 September 2022, we are now in a position to provide you with a substantive response to your request for the following information:

'What will now take over the role of FRADU 736 NAS, following its disbandment? I believe it was told that 100 squadron was the replacement, but that has since been disbanded.'

Your enquiry has been considered to be a request for information in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

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

In response to your request, I can advise that the Royal Navy (RN) elements that benefitted from the Hawk T1 will make use of their existing simulators (where applicable) and live flying hours offered by the Medium Speed Aerial Support Services Contract. Alternate solutions continue to be considered following the loss of RN Hawk T1.

If you have any queries regarding the content of this letter, please contact this office in the first instance.

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Yours sincerely

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