



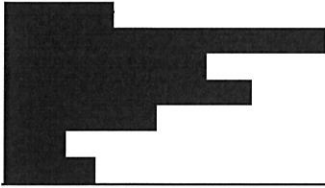
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Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your email of 23 January 2024, requesting the following information:

I would like to request under the freedom of information act, regarding the DESA Clothing and textiles contract. I would like to know who the new contractor is / or will be please?

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

A search for the information has now been completed within the Ministry of Defence (MOD) and the information you have requested is held. At the date of your email, the disposal contractor for clothing and textiles was Field Textiles Ltd, under contract DSACOMDD/00008. This contract was completed on 31 January 2024. The new contract, 707973450, has been awarded to Ramco UK Ltd, and came into effect on 01 February 2024.

Under Section 16 of the FOI Act (Advice and Assistance), you may wish to note that the contract award notice and details for Ramco UK Ltd are due to be published online; however, there may be a small delay between contract award and publication, so I have provided the contact details for Ramco UK Ltd below:

Ramco UK Ltd
Church Road South
SKEGNESS
Lincolnshire
PE25 3RS

Telephone: +44 (0) 1754 880 880
Email: sales@ramco.co.uk
URL: <https://www.ramco.co.uk>

Should you wish to make further enquiries about disposal contractors, you can contact DE&S via the details in this letter, or you can contact DESA directly via the contact details on their website here: <https://www.gov.uk/government/groups/defence-equipment-sales-authority>.

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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.

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Yours sincerely,

DE&S Policy Secretariat