



Freedom of Information Manager

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Dear [REDACTED]

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000: MINISTRY OF DEFENCE POLICE: OATH DETAILS.

We refer to your email dated 10th September 2024 to the Ministry of Defence Police (MDP), which was acknowledged on 12th September 2024.

We are treating your email as a request for information in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA 2000).

- 1. Full description and responsibilities of your job role for Ministry of Defence Police?**
- 2. Full details of your sworn Oath in order for to work for the Ministry of Defence Police?**
- 3. Full details of the recent sworn Oath of a Police Constable representing Ministry of Defence Police?**
- 4. Full Details of the sworn Oath of the Chief Constable of the Ministry of Defence Police?**
- 5. Full details of the sworn Oath of the Crime Commissioner of the Ministry of Defence Police?**

A search for information has now been completed and the MDP does / does not hold information in scope of your request.

- 1. Full description and responsibilities of your job role for Ministry of Defence Police?**

Freedom of Information Manager - Responsible for the management of all MDP Freedom of Information requests and drafting responses to meet statutory obligations.

2. Full details of your sworn Oath in order for to work for the Ministry of Defence Police?

No information held. The Freedom of Information Manager role is a non-uniformed role. MDP non-uniformed staff are Ministry of Defence civil servants and are not required to be attested.

3. Full details of the recent sworn Oath of a Police Constable representing Ministry of Defence Police?

All officers must be attested for the force they work in. The MDP attestation is as follows:

I do solemnly and sincerely declare and affirm that I will well and truly serve the King in the office of constable, with fairness, integrity, diligence and impartiality, upholding fundamental human rights and according equal respect to all people; and that I will, to the best of my power, cause the peace to be kept and preserved and prevent all offences against people and property; and that while I continue to hold the said office I will to the best of my skill and knowledge discharge all the duties thereof faithfully according to law.

4. Full Details of the sworn Oath of the Chief Constable of the Ministry of Defence Police?

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5. Full details of the sworn Oath of the Crime Commissioner of the Ministry of Defence Police?

No information held. The MDP does not have an appointed Crime Commissioner. The Ministry of Defence Police Committee have oversight of the functions of our Force.

If you are not satisfied with 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