



Freedom of Information Manager

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Dear [REDACTED]

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000: MINISTRY OF DEFENCE POLICE: BODY ARMOUR.

We refer to your email dated 26 November 2024 to the Ministry of Defence Police (MDP), which was acknowledged on the 27 November 2024.

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:

Please could you confirm the following:

- 1) Are new recruits issued body armour with a molle cover or an equipment vest?**
- 2) If issued with both do new recruits get to pick whether they have armour with a molle cover or an equipment vest?**

A search for information has now been completed and the MDP does hold information in scope of your request.

- 1) Are new recruits issued body armour with a Molle cover or an equipment vest?**

New recruits are issued body armour with Molle cover.

- 2) If issued with both do new recruits get to pick whether they have armour with a Molle cover or an equipment vest?**

No applicable.

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Yours sincerely

MDP Secretariat and Freedom of Information Office