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Dear [REDACTED]

## **FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000: MINISTRY OF DEFENCE POLICE: SUSPENDED OFFICERS**

I refer to your e-mail dated 9 October 2018, which was acknowledged on the 10 October 2018.

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

In your e-mail you requested the following information:

**“1. The number of police in your force who are currently suspended on full pay.**

**Please break each individual’s information into the following categories:**

**The month and year the suspension began**

**Type of suspension (e.g. full suspension, or on restricted duties). If the individual has spent some time on restricted duties, and some time on full suspension, please make clear the time periods of these differing types of suspension**

**The pay band and rank of the individual**

**2. I would also like to request the salary range for each pay band. This must include details of any historical pay band ranges back to the date of the individual who was suspended most long ago (so that, for each individual on the list, I can estimate how much they have been paid while being suspended).”**

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

1. The Ministry of Defence Police (MDP) have 4 officers currently suspended on full pay.

FOI URN	Start of suspension	Type of suspension	Rank
01	16/04/2018	Full suspension	PC
	09/07/2018	Firearms Restriction	
02	13/12/2017	Full suspension	PS
	17/12/2017	Firearms Restriction	
03	11/12/2016	Full suspension	PC
04	26/09/2018	Full suspension	PS
	06/06/2016	Firearms Restriction	

Note: Full suspension automatically triggers a firearms restriction for officers in a firearms role.

2. Please see the attached document for the salary ranges 2016-2017.

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.

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 Sec Data Protection and Freedom of Information Office**

**MDP Constables Pay 2016**

	(A)	(B)
Pay Point - Wef 1 September 2016	Home Office Rate	MoD Rate for Overtime & Pensions Purposes (95% of A)
	£	£
On Commencing Service 0	24204	22994
On Completion of Initial training 1	27015	25664
2	28584	27155
3	30330	28814
4	31284	29720
5	32292	30677
(pay point removed removed on 1 April 2016) 6		31551
(pay point will be removed removed on 1 October 2016) 7		32329
8	35127	33371
(pay point will be removed removed on 1 April 2017) 9		35387
10	38001	36101

\* on removal of a pay point, an officer will not automatically move to the next highest pay point but will move in line with their incremental date

**CONSTABLES' PAY FROM 1 SEPTEMBER 2016 FOR THOSE WHO JOINED ON OR AFTER 1 APRIL 2013**

	(A)	(B)
Pay Point - Wef 1 September 2016	Home Office Rate	MoD Rate for Overtime & Pensions Purposes (95% of A)
	£	£
0	19773	18784
1	22896	21751
2	23931	22734
3	24975	23726
4	26016	24715
5	28098	26693
6	32292	30677
7	38001	36101

## Annex A

MDP CONSTABLES PAY'		(A)	(B)
Pay Point - Wef 1 September 2017		Home Office Rate	MoD Rate for Overtime & Pensions Purposes (95% of A)
		£	£
On Commencing Service	0	24447	23225
On Completion of Initial Training	1	27285	25921
	2	28869	27426
	3	30633	29101
	4	31596	30016
	5	32616	30985
(pay point removed on 1 April 2016)	6*		31866
(pay point will be removed on 1 October 2016)	7*		32652
	8	35478	33704
(pay point will be removed on 1 April 2017)	9*		35742
	10	38382	36463

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MDP CONSTABLES' PAY FOR THOSE WHO JOINED ON OR AFTER 1 APRIL 2013		(A)	(B)
Pay Point - Wef 1 September 2017		Home Office Rate	MoD Rate for Overtime & Pensions Purposes (95% of A)
		£	£
	0	19971	18972
	1	23124	21968
	2	24171	22962
	3	25224	23963
	4	26277	24963
	5	28380	26961
	6	32616	30985
	7	38382	36463

**SERGEANTS' PAY**

	(A)	(B)
Pay Point - Wef 1 September 2016	Home Office Rate	MoD Rate for Overtime & Pensions Purposes (95% of A)
	£	£
Entry point for officers promoted from Constable 1	39300	37335
2	40620	38589
3	41487	39413
4	42708	40573

MDP SERGEANTS' PAY		(A)	(B)
Pay Point - Wef 1 September 2017		Home Office Rate	MoD Rate for Overtime & Pensions Purposes (95% of A)
		£	£
Entry point for officers promoted from Constable	1	39693	37708
	2	41025	38974
	3	41901	39806
	4	43134	40977