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Dear Mr Ashby,

Release of Information

Thank you for your correspondence of 21 April 2020 in which you requested the following information:

'Can you please give the numbers of Royal Navy and Royal Marine Officers and Senior Rates that are employed with Duties to the Sea Cadet Corps. Could you also please list the post which they occupy.'

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

A search for the information has now been completed within the Ministry of Defence and I can confirm that information in scope of your request is held which can be found detailed at Annex A to this letter.

Under section 16 (Advice and Assistance) of the Act, it is important to explain that the Royal Navy (RN) and Royal Marine (RM) personnel listed within the Annex are not employed by the Marine Society Sea Cadets (MSSC) but are instead assigned to the MSSC. The military personnel provided to the MSSC will remain for all purpose's members of HM Armed Forces.

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Yours sincerely

Navy Command Secretariat - FOI Section

ANNEX A
to FOI2020/04773
dated 18 May 2020

RN/RM Assignments to MSSC:

Number	Position	Rank
1	Captain Sea Cadets	Captain RN
6	Sea Cadet Corps (SCC) Area Officers - South West - North West - London - Eastern - Northern (incl Scotland) - Southern	Commander RN
1	SCC Staff RM Officer	Colour Sergeant RM
2	Bridge Watchkeepers - TS Royalist	Lieutenant (Lt) RN
1	Commanding Officer – TS Jack Petchey	Lt RN