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Mr Howard Yearley

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Our ref: FOI 2018/04604

Your ref:

Date: 17 April 2018

Dear Mr Yearley,

Thank you for your email of 1 April 2018 requesting the following information:

"Please can you give me all the details of human and animal mutilations within the UK that you have on file"

We are treating your correspondence as a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOIA).

A search for the information has now been completed within the Ministry of Defence, and we can confirm that no information in scope of your request is held.

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.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,

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