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16th September 2014

Dear Mr Young,

Thank you for your email dated 11<sup>th</sup> September 2014 in which you have sought further information to our responses dated 4<sup>th</sup> and 9<sup>th</sup> September 2014 concerning the Senior Medical Adviser. You have subsequently requested the following information:

"Please advise current Job Title and Description".

This has been considered as a request for information in accordance with the Freedom of Information Act 2000 (FOI Act).

The current job title for the Senior Medical Adviser is Chief of Defence Personnel Medical Adviser.

Please find below details concerning the current job description:

- Provide evidence- based medical advice for military occupational pensions and no fault compensation
- Support to Independent Medical Expert Group - literature analysis scrutiny of submitted evidence and expert opinion and submission of appropriate advice.
- Quality assure medical aspects of occ pensions and no fault compensation individual decisions
- Working with DBS Vets lead on establishing high quality operational medical services for occ pensions and no fault compensation
- Promote coherent collaborative approaches on health well-being welfare and research in military personnel and veterans within and beyond Defence

- Maintain professional skills /continue engagement with revalidation

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Yours sincerely,

Defence Personnel Secretariat