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Dear Mr Re,

Thank you for your email of 30 September in which you asked for the following information:

*“Would you be kind enough to provide any manufacture, modification, service, and deployment history of the Land Rover registration number 15 KF 70, serial number SALLDHAC7BA262963.”*

I am treating your correspondence as a request for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. A search across the Ministry of Defence (MOD) has now been completed, and I can confirm that the department holds some information relevant to your request.

However, Section 21(1) of the FOI Act states that some of the information is exempt if it is reasonably accessible to the applicant by other means. The department has undertaken a routine review of the MERLIN archive and the final version of this has since been released as part of a previous FOI request, which can be accessed at:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/foi-responses-published-by-mod-week-commencing-09-july-2018>

The information that is not subject to this exemption is the maintenance history and the repair actions for the vehicle. These can be found in the attached annexes.

Under Section 16 (Advice and Assistance), I can advise you that the database in the above link is split into seven spreadsheets. The first has a list of vehicles, while sheets two through seven have the service histories. To search for a vehicle, you must press Ctrl + F, then select ‘Options’ and then select ‘Workbook’ from the ‘Within’ drop down list. Information relevant to you request can be found by typing the vehicle registration number 15KF70, and then enter.

Furthermore, you may wish to note that the Ministry of Defence has previously answered FOIs that may be relevant to your request. These FOIs can be accessed through the links below:

TDOL Reference	Short Name	Released	Page Count
2320-D-128-201	Operating Information	<a href="#">FOI2016/00702</a>	426
2320-D-128-302	Technical Description	Chapter 13 released ( <a href="#">FOI2017-09738</a> )	489
2320-D-128-411	Installation Instructions	<a href="#">FOI2019/04714</a>	110
2320-D-128-512	Failure Diagnosis	Partial Release ( <a href="#">FOI2018/09551</a> )	170

2320-D-128-522	Maintenance Instructions	<a href="#">FOI2016/04156</a>	754
2320-D-128-601	Maintenance Schedules	<a href="#">FOI2017/07816</a>	46
2320-D-128-711	Illustrated Parts Catalogue	<a href="#">FOI2016/00702</a>	1812
2320-D-128-721	Commercial Parts List	<a href="#">FOI2016/03001</a>	644
2320-D-128-811	Modification Instructions	<a href="#">FOI2017/10573</a>	342
2320-D-128-821	General Instructions	<a href="#">FOI2015/02277</a>	58

Finally, you may wish to contact the Royal Logistic Corps Museum who may be able to assist your research. The contact details for the museum are below. You should be advised, however, that they may make a charge for their services.

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The Princess Royal Barracks  
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GU16 6RW  
Telephone: 01252 833371  
Email: [information@rlcmuseum.com](mailto:information@rlcmuseum.com)

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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,

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