

MOD NON-DEPARTMENTAL PUBLIC BODIES

A Non-Departmental Public Body (NDPB) is a body that has a role in the process of national Government, but is not a Government Department or part of one, and which accordingly operates to a greater or lesser extent at arms length from Ministers. MOD NDPBs are split into those with executive and those with advisory functions. Executive bodies usually carry out prescribed functions within Government guidelines, and receive some sort of funding from their sponsoring Departments. Advisory bodies are set up by Ministers to advise them and their Departments on particular matter. MOD also has one Independent Monitoring Board NDPB.

Appointments to NDPBs are usually made by Ministers and are governed by the procedures set down by the Commissioner for Public Appointments, details of which can be found at: <http://www.ocpa.gov.uk>.

EXECUTIVE NDPBs

The Royal Naval Museums

The Naval Museums exist to conserve and bring before the public displays which show how the Navy has played a very significant part in the life and well being of the nation through the centuries. Their aim is to show how the modern Navy has grown from the past, and to reveal something of the life and bravery of the men and women who have served and still serve in the Royal Navy and Royal Marines. Similarly they display examples of the wide range of equipment, from domestic and personal items to machinery and weapons, which are an inherent part of Navy life. The museums are also important and valuable repositories of historical records, including film and oral history, which is available for researchers and historians.

Potential members of the Trustee Body would include those who have an interest in the UK's Armed Forces, with particular reference to the Royal Navy or Royal Marines. They should also have experience or interest in either business, finance, education and other professions, museums and archives or the law. Appointments are unpaid and are usually for 3 years. All four Museums are registered charities. The Office of National Statistics has recently reclassified the Fleet Air Arm Museum as a Public Corporation.

For further information on public appointments to any of the Naval Museums please contact:

CNS Heritage
Room 207
Victory Building
HM Naval Base
Portsmouth
Hampshire PO1 3NH
Tel: 023 927 20548
Fax: 023 927 27358

The Royal Naval Museum

The Royal Naval Museum originates from the Dockyard Museum, which was founded in 1911. Its purpose is to collect, preserve and exhibit articles and records relating to the history and traditions of the Royal Navy and its people, from earliest times to the present. It provides research and information services for serving members of the Royal Navy, the general public and schools.

For more information visit <http://www.royalnavalmuseum.org/> or write to:

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The Director, Royal Naval Museum
HM Naval Base
Portsmouth
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ROYAL NAVAL MUSEUM			
Multiple Bodies :	No	Regulatory Function :	No
Notes :	ENDPB. Established 1911 as The Dockyard Museum		

NDPB STATISTICS	
Year :	2008
Chair :	Admiral Sir Peter Abbott GBE KCB
Remuneration :	0
Director:	Dr C S White FSA FRHistS MA
Remuneration :	£84,114 per annum
Staff Employed :	39 FTE

OPENNESS AND ACCOUNTABILITY	
Public Meetings :	No
Public Minutes :	On request
Register Of Interests :	On Request
Ombudsman :	PCA
Annual Report :	2007/08
Last Review :	2006

Expenditure for 2007-2008	
Audit Arrangements :	NAO
Gov Funding £	872,560
Exp By Dept £	0
Total Gross Expenditure £	1,688,952

Appointments and Remuneration as at 31 March 2008			
OCPA Regulated :			
	Chair	Deputy	Members
Ministerial Appointments :	N/A	N/A	N/A
Non-Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, 1M/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, 1M/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, 9M/1F NP, 2M/OF EX2, 1V

Abbreviations: M = Male, F = Female, P = Paid, NP = Not Paid, EX = Ex Officio, V = Vacancy

Notes :	Expenditure on sponsorship not separately identifiable in MOD accounts
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The Royal Navy Submarine Museum

The Royal Naval Submarine Museum was founded in 1963. Its purpose is to promote an understanding of the role that the Royal Navy, and in particular the Royal Navy Submarine branch, has played in the nation's history through the centuries, using its important and valued collections for exhibit, education and research.

For more information visit <http://www.rnsubmus.co.uk/> or write to:

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The Director, Royal Navy Submarine Museum
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Gosport
Hampshire
PO12 2AS

Tel: 02392 510354 x 222
Fax: 02392 511349

ROYAL NAVY SUBMARINE MUSEUM			
Multiple Bodies :	No	Regulatory Function :	
Notes :	ENDPB. Established 1963		

NDPB STATISTICS	
Year :	2008
Chair :	Rear Admiral R Lane-Nott CB
Remuneration :	0
Accounting Officer:	Commander J Tall OBE – RN Rtd
Remuneration :	£54,925 per annum
Staff Employed:	21

OPENNESS AND ACCOUNTABILITY	
Public Meetings :	Yes AGM
Public Minutes :	On request
Register Of Interests :	On request
Ombudsman :	PCA
Annual Report :	2008
Last Review :	2004

Expenditure for 2007-2008	
Audit Arrangements :	NAO
Gov Funding £	587,358
Exp By Dept £	0
Total Gross Expenditure £	1,062,756

Appointments and Remuneration as at 31 March 2008			
OCPA Regulated :			
	Chair	Deputy	Members
Ministerial Appointments :	N/A	N/A	N/A
Non-Ministerial Appointments :	1 M /NP	1M/NP	0M/P 0F/P 1F/NP 7M/NP 1F/EX/NP 2M/EX/NP

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Notes : Expenditure on sponsorship not separately identifiable in MOD accounts

The Royal Marines Museum

The Royal Marines Museum was founded in 1958. Its mission is "The preservation and presentation of all aspects of Royal Marines history for the education and enjoyment of the general public". Activities include the acquisition, documentation and conservation of exhibits; the provision of displays, special exhibitions and public events; and the promotion of research, especially through the Museum's Library and Archive.

For more information visit <http://www.royalmarinesmuseum.co.uk> or write to:

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The Director,
Royal Marines Museum,
Southsea,
Hampshire PO4 9PX

Tel: 02392 819385
Fax: 02392 838420

ROYAL MARINES MUSEUM			
Multiple	No	Regulatory	No

Bodies :		Function :	
Notes :	ENDPB. Established 1958		

NDPB STATISTICS	
Year :	2008
Chair :	Major General David A S Pennefather CB OBE
Remuneration :	0
Director:	C J Newbery BA FMA
Remuneration :	£66,215 per annum
Staff Employed :	23

OPENNESS AND ACCOUNTABILITY	
Public Meetings :	No
Public Minutes :	No
Register Of Interests :	Yes
Ombudsman :	PCA
Annual Report :	2007/08
Last Review :	2003

Expenditure for 2007-2008	
Audit Arrangements :	NAO
Gov Funding £	764,974
Exp By Dept £	0
Total Gross Expenditure £	1,243,092

Appointments and Remuneration as at 31 March 2008			
OCPA Regulated :			
	Chair	Deputy	Members
Ministerial Appointments :	N/A	N/A	N/A
Non-Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, 1M/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, 1M/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, 5M/3F NP, 6M/OF EX, OV

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Notes :	Expenditure by Dept on sponsorship not separately identifiable from MOD accounts
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Council of the National Army Museum

The National Army Museum (NAM) was established in 1960 by Royal Charter. It moved to its present building in Chelsea in 1971. It is a Registered Charity and has the status of a national museum. It is governed by a Council of nine members.

The purpose of the NAM is to collect, preserve and exhibit objects and records relating to the history of the British Army from c1415 until the present day, so that the achievements, history and traditions of the British Army shall be better known.

Its collections include oil paintings, prints, drawings, film, photographs, sound recordings, books, archives, uniforms, medals, weapons, equipment and vehicles.

For more information visit <http://www.national-army-museum.ac.uk/> or write to:

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London SW3 4HT
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Fax: 0207 823 6573
Email: info@national-army-museum.ac.uk

For information on public appointments to the Council of the National Army Museum please contact:

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Business Delivery Performance and Reward 1
Building 396
Upavaon

Pewsey
Wiltshire
SN9 6B

NATIONAL ARMY MUSEUM (NAM)			
Multiple Bodies :	No	Regulatory Function :	No
Notes :			

NDPB STATISTICS	
Year :	2008
Chair :	General Sir Jack Devereil KCB OBE
Remuneration :	0
Chief Executive :	Dr Alan Guy MA DPhil FRHistS FRAS FSA
Remuneration :	86,118 per annum
Staff Employed :	89

OPENNESS AND ACCOUNTABILITY	
Public Meetings :	No
Public Minutes :	No
Register Of Interests :	Yes
Ombudsman :	PCA
Annual Report :	2007
Last Review :	2006

Expenditure for 2007-2008	
Audit Arrangements :	NAO
Gov Funding £	5,480,000
Exp By Dept £	0
Total Gross Expenditure £	6,425,000

Appointments and Remuneration as at 31 March 2008			
OCPA Regulated :	Regulated		
	Chair	Deputy	Members
Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OV
Non-Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, 1M/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, 7M/1F NP, OM/OF EX, OV

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The Royal Air Force Museum

The RAF Museum was founded in 1963 to preserve, conserve and exhibit the history of the Royal Air Force and its relationship with aviation. It is the only UK National Museum to concentrate solely on the development of aviation and it aims to promote an understanding of the role and achievements of the Royal Air Force in that context. The collections are held at the Museum's two public sites at Hendon, London, and Cosford, West Midlands.

For further information visit <http://www.rafmuseum.org.uk/> or write to:

Dr M A Fopp MA FMA FBIM
The Director General
Royal Air Force Museum
Grahame Park Way
Hendon
London NW9 5LL

Tel: 020 8205 2266
Fax: 020 8200 1751

ROYAL AIR FORCE MUSEUM			
Multiple Bodies :	No	Regulatory Function :	No
Notes :			

NDPB STATISTICS	
Year :	2008
Chair :	Air Chief Marshal Sir John Day KCB OBE RAF (Retd)
Remuneration :	0
Director General :	Dr M A Fopp MA PhD FMA FRAeS
Remuneration :	94,590 per annum
Staff Employed :	181

OPENNESS AND ACCOUNTABILITY	
Public Meetings :	No
Public Minutes :	No
Register Of Interests :	Yes
Ombudsman :	PCA
Annual Report :	2006
Last Review :	2006

Expenditure for 2007-08	
Audit Arrangements :	NAO
Gov Funding £	7,019,000
Exp By Dept £	0
Total Gross Expenditure £	8,233,164

Appointments and Remuneration as at 31 March 2008			
OCA Regulated :	Regulated		
	Chair	Deputy	Members
Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, 1M/OF NP, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OV	OM/OF P, 12M/1F NP, OV
Non-Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV

Abbreviations: M = Male, F = Female, P = Paid, NP = Not Paid, EX = Ex Officio, V = Vacancy

Notes :	Expenditure on sponsorship not separately identifiable in MOD accounts Annual Report: - http://www.rafmuseum.org/london/policy-performance/reports.cfm
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PUBLIC CORPORATIONS

The Fleet Air Arm Museum

The Fleet Air Arm Museum was founded in 1964. Its purpose is to maintain for public display and education aircraft, related documents and general exhibits of historical interest, predominantly related to the Royal Naval Air Service and Fleet Air Arm.

For more information visit <http://www.fleetairarm.com/> or write to:

Mr C G Mottram MA CEng MIM
The Director, Fleet Air Arm Museum
Royal Naval Air Station
Yeovilton
Somerset BA22 8HT

Tel: 01935 840565
Fax: 01935 842630

FLEET AIR ARM MUSEUM			
Multiple Bodies :	No	Regulatory Function :	No
Notes :	ENDPB Established 28 th May 1964		

NDPB STATISTICS	
Year :	2008
Chair :	Rear Admiral Terry

OPENNESS AND ACCOUNTABILITY	
Public Meetings :	No

Expenditure for 2007-08	
Audit Arrangements :	NAO

	Loughran CB
Remuneration :	0
Director:	C G Mottram MA CEng MIM
Remuneration :	£54,045 per annum
Staff Employed :	53

Public Minutes :	No
Register Of Interests :	Yes
Ombudsman :	PCA
Annual Report :	2005/06
Last Review :	2006/07

Gov Funding £	614,357
Exp By Dept £	0
Total Gross Expenditure £	2,353,000

Appointments and Remuneration as at 31 March 2008			
OCA Regulated :			
	Chair	Deputy	Members
Ministerial Appointments :	N/A	N/A	N/A
Non-Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, 1M/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, 1M/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, 7M/OF NP, 4M/OF EX, OV

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Notes :	Expenditure by Dept on sponsorship not separately identifiable in MOD accounts. Figures are pre audit.
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The Oil and Pipelines Agency

The Oil and Pipelines Agency was set up under an Act of Parliament (The Oil and Pipelines Act 1985) and is responsible for managing the Government Pipeline and Storage System (GPSS). It oversees all aspects of the operation and maintenance of the pipeline and storage facilities, ensuring that UK military requirements for aviation fuel are met. The Agency also generates income from the system, mainly receipts from the use of the pipeline and storage facilities by the United States Air Force and commercial operators. The Agency employs 23 people including four members.

For more information please contact:

Mrs V Wyer
Secretariat Manager
Defence Fuels Group
West Moors
Wimbourne
Dorset BH21 6QS
Tel: 01202 654435

OIL AND PIPELINES AGENCY (OPA)			
Multiple Bodies :	No	Regulatory Function :	No
Notes :			

NDPB STATISTICS	
Year :	2008
Chair :	Mr F Dobbyn
Remuneration :	16,500 per annum
Chief Executive:	Tony Nicholls
Remuneration :	120,000 per annum

OPENNESS AND ACCOUNTABILITY	
Public Meetings :	No
Public Minutes :	No
Register Of Interests :	No
Ombudsman :	PCA
Annual Report :	2008
Last Review :	2004

Expenditure for 2007-2008	
Audit Arrangements :	NAO
Gov Funding £	0
Exp By Dept £	0
Total Gross Expenditure £	1,800,000 (excl VAT) (OPA Fee – Taken from GPSS Income)

Staff Employed :	19
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Appointments and Remuneration as at 31 March 2008			
OCPA Regulated :	Regulated		
	Chair	Deputy	Members
Ministerial Appointments :	1M/OF P, 0M/OF NP, 0V	0M/OF P, 0M/OF NP, 0V	2M/OF P, 2M/OF NP, 0V
Non-Ministerial Appointments :	0M/OF P, 0M/OF NP, 0M/OF EX, 0V	0M/OF P, 0M/OF NP, 0M/OF EX, 0V	0M/OF P, 0M/OF NP, 0M/OF EX, 0V

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ADVISORY NDPBs

The Advisory Committee on Conscientious Objectors (ACCO)

The Advisory Committee on Conscientious Objectors was established in 1970. It advises the MOD on all conscientious objection claims to further service in the Armed Forces from Service personnel, where an application to retire or to resign a commission on the grounds of conscience has not been accepted by the Service authorities.

For more information please contact:

Miss S Adams DGLS-Sec1b
7th Floor Zone C
Main Building
Whitehall
London SW1A 2HB

Tel: 020 721 81231
Fax: 020 721 80844

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON CONSCIENTIOUS OBJECTORS			
Multiple Bodies :	No	Regulatory Function :	No
Notes :			

NDPB STATISTICS	
Year :	2008
Chair :	His Honour Judge King
Remuneration :	350 per day
Secretary :	Samantha Adams
Remuneration :	0 Civil Servant
Staff Employed :	0

OPENNESS AND ACCOUNTABILITY	
Public Meetings :	No
Public Minutes :	No
Register Of Interests :	No
Ombudsman :	PCA
Annual Report :	2003
Last Review :	

Expenditure for 2007-2008	
Audit Arrangements :	
Gov Funding £	0
Exp By Dept £	0
Total Gross Expenditure £	0

Appointments and Remuneration as at 31 March 2008	
OCPA Regulated :	Regulated

	Chair	Deputy	Members
Ministerial Appointments :	1M/OF P, OM/OF NP, OV	1M/OF P, OM/OF NP, OV	3M/1F P, OM/OF NP, OV
Non-Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV

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The Advisory Group on Medical Countermeasures

The Advisory Group on Medical Countermeasures (AGMC) provides specialist advice to the MOD, as required, on the medical aspects of defence against chemical, biological and radiological threats.

For further information please write to:

Lt Col David Bates
 Defence Medical Services Department – Secretariat
 Ministry of Defence
 7th Floor Zone F
 Main Building
 Whitehall
 London SW1A 2HB

Tel: 020 721 70386

ADVISORY GROUP ON MEDICAL COUNTERMEASURES			
Multiple Bodies :	No	Regulatory Function :	No
Notes :	Currently undergoing review. Likely to be re-named Advisory Group on Military Medicine in Jul 08.		

NDPB STATISTICS	
Year :	2008
Chair :	Professor Peter Blain
Remuneration :	Chair 371 per day, Members 313 per day
Secretary :	Lt Col David Bates
Remuneration :	0 Civil Servant
Staff Employed :	None full time

OPENNESS AND ACCOUNTABILITY	
Public Meetings :	No
Public Minutes :	No
Register Of Interests :	No
Ombudsman :	PCA
Annual Report :	07/08
Last Review :	2007

Expenditure for 2007-2008	
Audit Arrangements :	
Gov Funding £	25 000
Exp By Dept £	23 852
Total Gross Expenditure £	23 852

Appointments and Remuneration as at 31 March 2008			
OCPA Regulated :	Regulated		
	Chair	Deputy	Members
Ministerial Appointments :	1M/OF P, OV, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX	OM/OF P, OV, OM/OF P, OM/OF EX	3M/3F P, OV, OM/OF NP, OM/1F EX
Non-Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV

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Animal Welfare Advisory Committee

The objectives of the Animal Welfare Advisory Committee (AWAC) are to ensure the maintenance of the highest standards of animal welfare for animals used for defence research purposes and to provide independent oversight. The majority of animals used in defence research will be in the Defence Science and Technology Laboratory (Dstl) establishments.

The Committee will review:

- The operation and effectiveness of the Animal Care and Use Committees;
- The operation and effectiveness of the Ethical Review Process for projected scientific work involving the use of animals;
- Implementation and the audit of the 3 Rs principle; Reduction, Refinement and Replacement (as defined by W M S Russell and R L Burch in 'The Principles of Humane Experimental Technique 1959' Methuen and Co London);
- External peer review of the results of scientific work involving animals;
- Broad trends in the numbers of animals used and the numbers of animals bred under the Animals (Scientific Procedures) Act annually;
- Local control over any procedures on live animals not covered by the Animals (Scientific Procedures) Act, e.g. euthanasia;
- Training and education programmes for all relevant personnel on the use and care of animals;
- Initiatives to ensure the maintenance of high standards of animal welfare in defence research establishments.

The committee is fully independent and has full access to all Dstl facilities where experiments involving the use of animals may be carried out on behalf of the MOD. The committee advises Dstl Senior Staff and reports to Ministers through the Chief Scientific Adviser at the Ministry of Defence. In order to fulfil its remit AWAC are able to consult, inspect and make enquiries into all aspects of animal care and their use in the research programme. It can interview research scientists, animal technologists along with other support staff and are assisted by senior management in their enquiries. AWAC monitors the ethical review process for projected scientific work involving the use of animals and looks at the active implementation of the 3 R's, reduction, refinement and replacement. Additionally the committee assesses the degree of external peer review of results from experiments involving animals. The committee also observes and reviews the training and education programmes for Dstl personnel relevant to the use or care of animals. Through the implementation of these initiatives AWAC is able to ensure that the MOD maintains the highest possible standards of animal welfare and husbandry.

The Committee is not responsible for monitoring compliance with the Animals (Scientific Procedures) Act. This is the duty of the Home Office.

For further information please write to:

Animal Welfare Advisory Committee Secretariat
 Level 1 Zone J
 MOD Main Building,
 Whitehall,
 LONDON SW1A 2HB

ANIMAL WELFARE ADVISORY COMMITTEE (AWAC)			
Multiple Bodies :	No	Regulatory Function :	No
Notes :			

NDPB STATISTICS	
Year :	2008
Chair :	Refer to Department
Remuneration :	£250 per day
Secretary :	Refer to Department
Remuneration :	0 Civil Servant
Staff Employed :	0

OPENNESS AND ACCOUNTABILITY	
Public Meetings :	No
Public Minutes :	No
Register Of Interests :	No
Ombudsman :	PCA
Annual Report :	2007
Last Review :	2000

Expenditure for 2007-2008	
Audit Arrangements :	N/A
Gov Funding £	0
Exp By Dept £	0
Total Gross Expenditure £	0

Appointments and Remuneration as at 31 March 2008			
OCPA Regulated :	Regulated		
	Chair	Deputy	Members
Ministerial Appointments :	1M/OF P, OM/OF NP, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OV	2M/OF P, OM/OF NP, 1V
Non-Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV

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Notes :	Expenditure on sponsorship not separately identifiable in MOD accounts
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The Armed Forces Pay Review Body

The Armed Forces Pay Review Body is independent of Government and advises on the remuneration and charges for members of the Naval, Military, and Air Forces of the Crown. It seeks to ensure that the pay of military personnel is sufficient to allow the Services to recruit, retain and motivate suitably able and qualified personnel. Recommendations are fair to both the taxpayer and the remit group.

For more information please contact:

AFPRB Secretariat
 Office of Manpower Economics
 6th Floor
 Kingsgate House
 66-74 Victoria Street
 London SW1E 6SW

Tel: 020 7215 8534
 or visit the OME website at www.ome.uk.com

Alternatively the focus within MOD is:

Lieutenant Colonel Seb Pollington
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 Level 7 Zone L
 Main Building
 Ministry of Defence
 Whitehall
 London SW1A 2HB

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ARMED FORCES PAY REVIEW BODY			
Multiple Bodies :	No	Regulatory Function :	No
Notes :			

NDPB STATISTICS		OPENNESS AND ACCOUNTABILITY		Expenditure for 2007-2008	
Year :	2008	Public Meetings :	No	Audit Arrangements :	
Chair :	Professor David Greenaway	Public Minutes :	No	Gov Funding £	0
Remuneration :	350 per day	Register Of Interests :	Yes	Exp By Dept £	0
Secretary :	Mr Charles Jordan	Ombudsman :	PCA	Total Gross Expenditure £	0
Remuneration :	0 Civil Servant	Annual Report :	2008		
Staff Employed :	0	Last Review :	2007		

Appointments and Remuneration as at 31 March 2008			
OCPA Regulated :	Regulated		
	Chair	Deputy	Members
Ministerial Appointments :	1M/OF P, OM/OF NP, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OV	6M/2F P, OM/OF NP, OV
Non-Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV

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Notes :	Expenditure by Department on sponsorship not separately identifiable in MOD accounts. Annual report:- www.ome.uk.com
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Central Advisory Committee on Pensions and Compensation

The Central Advisory Committee on Pensions and Compensation (previously the Central Advisory Committee on War Pensions) was established by the War Pensions Act 1921 *"to consider such matters as may be put before them by the Minister for their advice"*. The Committee has been the subject of a review during 2007/08 to refocus its work so that it may be more effective in providing advice on policy issues affecting all the service pension and compensation schemes; and act as a credible and visible consultative mechanism for the service pensions and compensation schemes. There are currently representatives of ex-Service organisations, occupational pensions groups, and regional War Pensions Committee Chairs. Single Service representatives and officers of the Department also serve on the Committee. Ministerially-chaired meetings (by the Under Secretary of stae) normally take place twice a year.

A copy of the last review report is available at http://www.veterans-uk.info/cac/cac_review.pdf

For further information please contact:

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 Service Personnel Policy Pensions
 Ministry of Defence
 Whitehall
 London
 SW1A 2HB
 Telephone 020 7218 4641

CENTRAL ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON PENSIONS AND COMPENSATION (CAC)			
Multiple Bodies :	No	Regulatory Function :	No
Notes :			

NDPB STATISTICS	
Year :	2008
Chair :	Derek Twigg MP
Remuneration :	0
Secretary :	Mr L Mansfield
Remuneration :	0 Civil Servant
Staff Employed :	0

OPENNESS AND ACCOUNTABILITY	
Public Meetings :	No
Public Minutes :	Yes
Register Of Interests :	No
Ombudsman :	PCA
Annual Report :	
Last Review :	2007

Expenditure for 2007-2008	
Audit Arrangements :	
Gov Funding £	0
Exp By Dept £	0
Total Gross Expenditure £	0

Appointments and Remuneration as at 31 July 2008			
OCPA Regulated :	Yes		
	Chair	Deputy	Members
Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OV	OM/OF P, 6M/3F NP, OV
Non-Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, 1M/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, 4M/2F EX, OV

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Notes :	Expenditure by Dept on sponsorship not separately identifiable in MOD accounts
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Defence Nuclear Safety Committee (DNSC)

The DNSC is responsible for advising the Secretary of State for Defence (and other Ministers) on all public safety matters associated with the construction, operation and maintenance of nuclear powered warships and the design, manufacture, transport, storage, handling and operational training related to nuclear weapon systems.

The Committee comprises 10 members, including the Chairman, all of whom are drawn from outside the MOD. Experts in all relevant matters sit on the Committee. They are assisted by MOD officials. The full Committee meets at least three times a year and is supported by four working groups that meet more frequently. For more information please contact:

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 Main Building

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 London SW1A 2HB
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DEFENCE NUCLEAR SAFETY COMMITTEE (DNSC)			
Multiple Bodies :	No	Regulatory Function :	No
Notes :			

NDPB STATISTICS	
Year :	2008
Chair :	R Adm (Ret'd) Paul Thomas
Remuneration :	315 per day
Secretary :	Colin Waters
Remuneration :	0 Civil Servant
Staff Employed :	0

OPENNESS AND ACCOUNTABILITY	
Public Meetings :	No
Public Minutes :	No
Register Of Interests :	No
Ombudsman :	-
Annual Report :	2007
Last Review :	2001

Expenditure for 2007-2008	
Audit Arrangements :	
Gov Funding £	0
Exp By Dept £	0
Total Gross Expenditure £	0

Appointments and Remuneration as at 31 March 2008			
OCPA Regulated :	Regulated		
	Chair	Deputy	Members
Ministerial Appointments :	1M/OF P, OM/OF NP, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OV	7M/2F P, OM/OF NP, OV
Non-Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV

Abbreviations: M = Male, F = Female, P = Paid, NP = Not Paid, EX = Ex Officio, V = Vacancy

Notes :	Expenditure on sponsorship not separately identifiable in MOD accounts
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Defence Scientific Advisory Council

The Defence Scientific Advisory Council (DSAC) is established to provide independent advice to the Secretary of State for Defence on matters of concern to the Ministry of Defence in the fields of science, engineering, technology and analysis (SETA). Its terms of reference are:

- To advise on all aspects of the MoD research and development programme, including direction, content, exploitation, balance and changes, and value for money.
- To advise on the use of SETA resources within MoD.
- To advise on ways of achieving cross cutting capabilities, from conception to disposal and across all Defence Lines of Development.
- To advise on operational issues.
- To advise on ad hoc issues, including broad strategic issues, priorities and policies internal to MoD and those that are external to, but will impact upon, MoD.
- To advise on emerging external developments, innovation, opportunities and threats to MoD, both national and international.

Whilst MoD and DSAC will work together to instigate studies in all these areas, DSAC should identify and drive the instigation of studies and reviews in areas of research and SETA capability.

DSAC should work with key international partners where appropriate.

The Chairman of DSAC reports annually to the Secretary of State.

DSAC's remit has evolved from its primary role of reviewing and advising the research programme to taking a more strategic view of all SETA aspects across MoD on behalf of the Secretary of State. DSAC does not provide scientific or technical advice to suppliers of research.

The Council is supported by a register of independent advisors which provides a pool of expertise that can be drawn upon for specific tasks. Only members of the Council hold public appointments.

For more information please contact:

Defence Scientific Advisory Council Secretariat
 Level 1 Zone J
 MOD Main Building,
 Whitehall,
 LONDON SW1A 2HB

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DEFENCE SCIENTIFIC ADVISORY COUNCIL			
Multiple Bodies :	0	Regulatory Function :	No
Notes :	This NDPB was set up by the Secretary of State on 1 st April 1969		

NDPB STATISTICS	
Year :	2008
Chair :	Prof Sir Peter Knight
Remuneration :	£424 per day
Secretary :	Dr Brian Hampson
Remuneration :	0 Civil Servant
Staff Employed :	0

OPENNESS AND ACCOUNTABILITY	
Public Meetings :	No
Public Minutes :	No
Register Of Interests :	No
Ombudsman :	PCA
Annual Report :	2007
Last Review :	1997

Expenditure for 2007-2008	
Audit Arrangements :	N/A
Gov Funding £	0
Exp By Dept £	0
Total Gross Expenditure £	0

Appointments and Remuneration as at 31 March 2008			
OCPA Regulated : Yes			
	Chair	Deputy	Members
Ministerial Appointments :	1M/OF P, OM/OF NP, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OV	9M/1F P, OM/OF NP, 6V
Non-Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, 8M/1F EX, OV

Abbreviations: M = Male, F = Female, P = Paid, NP = Not Paid, EX = Ex Officio, V = Vacancy

Notes : Expenditure on sponsorship not separately identifiable in MOD accounts

National Employer Advisory Board

The Board was formed in 2002 to advise the Secretary of State for Defence and the Ministry of Defence about how the MOD can most effectively gain and maintain the support of the employers of Britain's Reserve Forces. The Board is responsible for advising the Supporting Britain's Reservists and Employers campaign, which aims to provide information to the employers of reservists, thereby gaining and maintaining their support for Britain's Reserve Forces.

The Board comprises 15 members and is chaired by The Rt Hon the Lord Glenarthur DL. The members are selected to represent employers, large and small, public and private, from across the UK. It also includes representatives of employer related bodies such as the Confederation of British Industry, the Institute of Directors and the Trades Unions.

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NATIONAL EMPLOYER ADVISORY BOARD			
Multiple Bodies :	0	Regulatory Function :	No
Notes :	Established in 2002 as an advisory NDPB.		

NDPB STATISTICS	
Year :	2008
Chair :	The Lord Glenarthur DL
Remuneration :	0
Secretary :	Vacant
Remuneration :	0
Staff Employed :	0

OPENNESS AND ACCOUNTABILITY	
Public Meetings :	No
Public Minutes :	No
Register Of Interests :	No
Ombudsman :	-
Annual Report :	2006
Last Review :	1986

Expenditure for 2007-2008	
Audit Arrangements :	-
Gov Funding £	13,000
Exp By Dept £	0
Total Gross Expenditure £	13,000

Appointments and Remuneration as at 31 March 2008			
OCPA Regulated :	Regulated		
	Chair	Deputy	Members
Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, 1M/OF NP, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OV	OM/OF P, 10M/3F NP, OV
Non-Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, 1M/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV

Abbreviations: M = Male, F = Female, P = Paid, NP = Not Paid, EX = Ex Officio, V = Vacancy

Notes :	The expenditure covers expenses incurred by members on duty.
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Nuclear Research Advisory Council

The Nuclear Research Advisory Council (NRAC) is charged with reviewing the Atomic Weapons Establishment (AWE) nuclear warhead research and capability maintenance programme, including the requirement for above ground experiments and other facilities and techniques necessary to develop and maintain a UK nuclear weapon capability in the absence of underground testing. The NRAC also examines AWE's programme of international collaboration.

The NRAC has nine members, including the Chair. They are appointed by the Secretary of State. Members serve for four years thereafter renewable biennially. The maximum total term is 10 years..

For further information please contact:

Nuclear Research Advisory Council Secretariat
Level 1 Zone L
Main Building
Whitehall
London SW1A 2HB

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Fax: 020 7218 1769

NUCLEAR RESEARCH ADVISORY COUNCIL			
Multiple Bodies :	No	Regulatory Function :	No
Notes :			

NDPB STATISTICS		OPENNESS AND ACCOUNTABILITY		Expenditure for 2007-2008	
Year :	2008	Public Meetings :	No	Audit Arrangements :	
Chair :	Prof Roger Cashmore	Public Minutes :	No	Gov Funding £	0
Remuneration :	315 per day	Register Of Interests :	No	Exp By Dept £	0
Secretary :	Mr Steve Laws	Ombudsman :	PCA	Total Gross Expenditure £	0
Remuneration :	0 Civil Servant	Annual Report :	2007		
Staff Employed :	0	Last Review :	2007		

Appointments and Remuneration as at 31 March 2008			
OCPA Regulated :	Regulated		
	Chair	Deputy	Members
Ministerial Appointments :	1M/OF P, 0M/OF NP, 0V	0M/OF P, 0M/OF NP, 0V	8M/OF P, 0M/OF NP, 0V
Non-Ministerial Appointments :	0M/OF P, 0M/OF NP, 0M/OF EX, 0V	0M/OF P, 0M/OF NP, 0M/OF EX, 0V	0M/OF P, 0M/OF NP, 0M/OF EX, 0V

Abbreviations: M = Male, F = Female, P = Paid, NP = Not Paid, EX = Ex Officio, V = Vacancy

Notes : Expenditure on sponsorship not separately identifiable in MOD accounts

Review Board for Government Contracts

The Review Board was set up in 1968, under an agreement between the Government and the Confederation of British Industry (CBI). It was charged with two functions:

a) to review periodically (normally at three-yearly intervals) the operation of the profit formula used in pricing non-competitive Government contracts;

b) to determine any price adjustments which may be appropriate in relation to any particular contract which is referred to the Board on the basis of a complaint by either party that the price negotiated was not fair and reasonable.

Following its Report on the Fourth General Review published in March 1984, the Board now carries out intermediate reviews at the end of the first and second year of each succeeding three-year period. Such reviews are normally limited to examination of the profit formula target rate of return. Reports on both the General and Annual Reviews are published by the Stationery Office and placed in the libraries of the Houses of Parliament.

Membership of the Review Board

The Review Board comprises a Chairman, two Government nominated members and two CBI nominated members, all appointed under open competition. Members of the public requesting further information or wishing to be considered for future Government nominations should contact:

Mr A Palmer
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MOD Abbey Wood #2233
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REVIEW BOARD FOR GOVERNMENT CONTRACTS			
Multiple Bodies :	No	Regulatory Function :	No
Notes :			

NDPB STATISTICS	
Year :	2008
Chair :	George Staple CB QC
Remuneration :	11,750 per annum
Secretary :	Mr A Scrimgoeur
Remuneration :	0
Staff Employed :	0

OPENNESS AND ACCOUNTABILITY	
Public Meetings :	No
Public Minutes :	No
Register Of Interests :	No
Ombudsman :	PCA
Annual Report :	2006
Last Review :	2007

Expenditure for 2007-2008	
Audit Arrangements :	
Gov Funding £	43,050
Exp By Dept £	0
Total Gross Expenditure £	43,050

Appointments and Remuneration as at 31 March 2008			
OCPA Regulated :	Regulated		
	Chair	Deputy	Members
Ministerial Appointments :	1M/OF P, OM/OF NP, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OV	4M/OF P, OM/OF NP, OV
Non-Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV

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Notes : Expenditure on sponsorship not separately identifiable in MOD accounts

The War Pensions Committees

War Pensions Committees (WPCs) are appointed by the Secretary of State to represent the interests of war disablement pensioners and war widow(er)s. There are 13 WPCs covering the whole of the United Kingdom, each having between 12 and 20 members. There are also committees in the Republic of Ireland and the Isle of Man which have a similar role.

The WPCs are independent of the Service Personnel and Veterans Agency (SPVA) but work very closely with the Agency's staff to carry out their 4 main functions.

WPCs are Non-Departmental Public Bodies whose main functions are to:

- act as a medium for local consultation by Ministers, the Ministry of Defence and the SPVA on issues affecting war pensioners and war widow(er)s;
- raise awareness of the War Pensions Scheme and the services of the Veterans Welfare Service (VWS) in their area;
- support and monitor the work of the VWS and seek to co-ordinate the efforts of voluntary and statutory sector organisations to deliver the best possible welfare support to war pensioners and war widow(er)s;
- assist individual war pensioners and war widow(er)s with any problem or complaint they have regarding war pensions or the SPVA and act on their behalf when appropriate.

For further information please contact:

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WAR PENSIONS COMMITTEES			
Multiple Bodies :	Yes (13)	Regulatory Function :	No
Notes :			

NDPB STATISTICS	
Year :	2008
Chair :	MULTIPLE
Remuneration :	0
Secretaries :	MULTIPLE
Remuneration :	0 Civil Servant
Staff Employed :	0

OPENNESS AND ACCOUNTABILITY	
Public Meetings :	No
Public Minutes :	No
Register Of Interests :	No
Ombudsman :	PCA
Annual Report :	2006
Last Review :	2002

Expenditure for 2007- 2008	
Audit Arrangements :	
Gov Funding £	0
Exp By Dept £	0
Total Gross Expenditure £	0

Appointments and Remuneration as at 31 March 2008			
OCPA Regulated :	Yes		
	Chair	Deputy	Members
Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, 12M/1F NP, OV	OM/OF P, 11M/2F NP, OV	OM/OF P, 139M/28F NP, OV
Non-Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV

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INDEPENDENT MONITORING BOARD NDPB

Independent Board of Visitors for the Military Corrective Training Centre

The Military Corrective Training Centre (MCTC) at Colchester is the only establishment of its kind and provides detention facilities for men and women of the Armed Forces. The majority of those detained are not sentenced for criminal offences and return to their military duties on release. A smaller number are sentenced to be dismissed from the Services after detention and are taught skills that will prepare them for civilian life. The Independent Board of Visitors is a requirement under the provision of the Imprisonment and Detention (Army) Rules 1979. It is charged with inspecting the MCTC on at least 2 occasions in a year and inquiring into any matters, which the Secretary of State directs them to or into any alleged abuses or shortcomings, which may come to their notice. Board Members are appointed by the Under Secretary of State, in the first instance, for five years. The Board meets 4 times a year and there is a requirement for individual Board members to undertake at least 3 extra visits per year to inspect the establishment. The Board must on an inspection satisfy itself as to the state of the premises, the administration of the establishment and the treatment of the Soldiers Under Sentence.

For more information please contact:

The Clerk to the IBOV
The Independent Board of Visitors
c/o The Military Corrective Training Centre Berechurch Hall Camp
Colchester
Essex CO2 9NU

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Fax: 01206 783503

For information on public appointments to the Independent Board of Visitors (MCTC) please contact:

Land Forces HR Business Partner
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Trenchard Lines
Upavon, Pewsey
Wiltshire
SN9 6BE

Tel: 01980 615063
 Fax: 01980 615259
 e-mail: so2perfprod-lfhrbp@ag.mod.uk

INDEPENDENT BOARD OF VISITORS FOR MILITARY CORRECTIVE TRAINING CENTRE (IBOV)			
Multiple Bodies :	No	Regulatory Function :	No
Notes :			

NDPB STATISTICS	
Year :	2008
Chair :	Malcolm Alcock
Remuneration :	0
Secretary :	Various
Remuneration :	0 Civil Servant
Staff Employed :	0

OPENNESS AND ACCOUNTABILITY	
Public Meetings :	No
Public Minutes :	No
Register Of Interests :	Yes
Ombudsman :	PCA
Annual Report :	2007
Last Review :	2001

Expenditure for 2007-2008	
Audit Arrangements :	
Gov Funding £	0
Exp By Dept £	0
Total Gross Expenditure £	0

Appointments and Remuneration as at 31 March 2008			
OCPA Regulated :	Regulated		
	Chair	Deputy	Members
Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, 1M/OF NP, OV	OM/OF P, 1M/OF NP, OV	OM/OF P, 6M/4F NP, OV
Non-Ministerial Appointments :	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV	OM/OF P, OM/OF NP, OM/OF EX, OV

Abbreviations: M = Male, F = Female, P = Paid, NP = Not Paid, EX = Ex Officio, V = Vacancy

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STAKEHOLDER ADVISORY BOARD

Op Telic Health Research Review Board (THRRB)

Operation TELIC is the UK contribution to the ongoing military operation in Iraq. The Op TELIC Health Research Review Board oversees the independent research that the Ministry of Defence has commissioned into the health of Service personnel returning from Op TELIC. The Review Board is required to provide the independent scrutiny and validation function for the research and to advise the MOD on the need for any additional research. The THRRB is made up of experts in the medical and anthropological fields nominated by the Medical Research Council (MRC) and the Economic and Social Research Council (ESRC), and representatives from the Royal British Legion (RBL) and MOD. The chairman is Professor Alan Silman of the University of Manchester.

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Further information can be found at:

<http://www.mod.uk/DefenceInternet/AboutDefence/WhatWeDo/HealthandSafety/OperationalHealthResearchReviewBoard/>