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Dear .....,

I refer to your request dated 8 March 2006 for information and documents relating to Operation Kratos held by the MPA and MPS under the Freedom of Information Act 2000.

I am able to respond to your question as follows:

Please find attached:

- a) a copy of a memo to members on Counter Suicide Terrorism.
- b) the minutes of the presentation on MPS Anti-Terrorism Work to the full Authority meeting held on 21 March 2002.
- c) a copy of an internal briefing note (08 August 2005) circulated to MPA members.
- d) a copy of notes of post 9/11 briefing (08 August 2005)

The Authority does not hold any other documentary records relating to Operation Kratos.

A report which outlines the work to research and develop suitable tactics to deal with Suicide Terrorism was presented to full Authority on 27 October 2005 and is currently on our website. Please see the link below.

http://www.mpa.gov.uk/committees/mpa/2005/051027/13.htm

I can confirm that your freedom of information request has been transferred to the MPS as requested in your telephone call to this office on 16 March 2006.

I hope that this response answers your questions.

However, if you are unhappy with the decision regarding your request for information you should in the first instance raise this with the MPA via its complaints procedure, details of which can be found on our website. Any complaint should be addressed to Jenny Trevillion, Complaints Officer, at the address above. If you are still unhappy after that, a further request can be made to the Information Commissioner, who will decide whether the request was dealt with in accordance with the requirements of the Freedom of Information Act. Further information is available on the Information Commissioner's website: www.informationcommissioner.gov.uk.

Yours sincerely,

Yvonne Peart Information Officer