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10. Section 16 (Advice and Assistance)

Section 16(1) of the FOIA places an obligation on public authorities such as MOD 'to provide advice and assistance, so far as it would be reasonable to expect the authority to do so, to persons who propose to make, or have made, requests for information to it'.

For more information about the units served with, may I suggest a book called "By Sea, By Land, the authorised History of the Royal Marines Commandos" by James D Ladd which should be available from the library. Other books with similar titles and by various authors are available from bookshops and libraries and are very informative. "They did what was asked of them -41 (Royal Marines) Commando 1942 -1946" by Raymond Mitchell, published by Firebird Books, ISBN 1 85314 205 0.

"The Royal Marines - From Sea Soldiers to a special force", by Julian Thompson which covers World War 2, and is particularly good on Walchern and D Day.

The Royal Marines shop <http://www.royalmarinesmuseum.co.uk/actalog/index.html> should be able to help if you have difficulty. Web sites [www.commandoveterans.org](http://www.commandoveterans.org) and [www.combinedops.com](http://www.combinedops.com) are very informative in respect of Royal Marines.

Please find enclosed abbreviation/phrases found on Royal Marine Personnel Records that may assist you in understanding the service documents.

**For ANY queries relating to medals, please contact:**

MOD Medal Office/JCC  
Imjin Barracks  
Gloucester GL3 1HW

GOV.UK website

**Please note: Photographs of individuals are not held.**

**Ship's photographs may be obtained from:**

The Historical Photograph Section	or	Imperial War Museum
National Maritime Museum		Lambeth Road
Romney Road		London
Greenwich		SE1 6HE
London		
SE10 9NF		

I hope that this is helpful and that you will find the enclosed record interesting and informative.

Your feedback would be greatly appreciated, please find enclosed a form to complete.

Kind Regards



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