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Further to the answer given by my predecessor, the Rt Hon Mike Penning, on 25 April 2017 to Question 71508.

In financial year 2016/17, 170 untrained regular soldiers were recruited to the Royal Regiment of Scotland. All applications to join the Army are initiated through the Army website.

A copy of this letter has been placed in the Library of the House.

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Written questions and answers

Q Asked by **Douglas Chapman** (Dunfermline and West Fife) [N]

Ministry of Defence

Commons **71508**

Royal Regiment of Scotland: Recruitment

To ask the Secretary of State for Defence, how many people recruited to the Royal Regiment of Scotland in the last year applied through (a) the Army Careers Service and (b) other channels.

A Answered by: Mike Penning

Answered on: 25 April 2017

The figures to answer the hon. Member's questions are still being compiled and I will write to him when the information is available.

Grouped Questions: 71509