FOI Request dated 13/06/2022 as follows –

We are seeking to scope out how much money is allocated for veteran related research across the United Kingdom. This will assist us in our work to better understand the state of the veteran research field and what, when and where research has been done.

To this end, we would like to request the following information you may hold by your organisation which includes:

1. The amount awarded on the research
2. When the research was funded
3. The title of the research project
4. Duration of project
5. Who received the funding to carry out the research

If you do not fund veteran related research please still reply to confirm this.

Further clarity –

I note that you do not ‘currently’ fund any projects relating to veteran research. However, has the University of Hull funded research in the past 10 years (or even further) that were either on or with veterans? Just for some added clarification. I know that an academic at the university received £50k from the ESRC for a project titled A career pipeline for 50+ Service leavers - did the university match this funding? https://gtr.ukri.org/projects?ref=ES%2FW006251%2F1

In addition, we are interested in even the smallest of grants, a £1000 grant to support an individual research project is still valid to our search.

Response

We have conducted a search on the following terms ('veteran', 'forces', 'armed forces', 'armed services', 'army', 'navy', 'air-force', 'military') and apart from the project mentioned in the request which you provided details for, we only have records going back to 2015/2016 when the new Research Information System was commissioned. However, we have found our old archive and searched for terms there too – resulting in no hits (records going back to 1998). Therefore the only research we can trace is the one you have supplied in the request text.