

Freedom of Information request: Reference number FOI2025/00401

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Request:

I would like to see a departmental structure/structure chart of your drones team and if possible which operations department over see it if not already shown in the departmental structure/structure chart.

Response:

Following a successful trial period, the drone capability has now been integrated into the London Fire Brigade's (LFB) front-line operations. The Rapid Response Team (RRT) are now providing frontline drone response.

As the Rapid Response Team is managed by the Operational Resilience and Control (OR&C) and sits within that structure.

The structure is not currently broken down by Drone Teams as this role is currently incorporated into the wider services and delivered by the Rapid Response Teams following a training programme. The service is supported by members of the Rapid Response Team and Operational Resilience Support Officers, all under the oversight of Operational Resilience and Control.

We have dealt with your request under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. For more information about this process please see the guidance we publish about making a request on our website:

<https://www.london-fire.gov.uk/about-us/transparency/request-information-from-us>