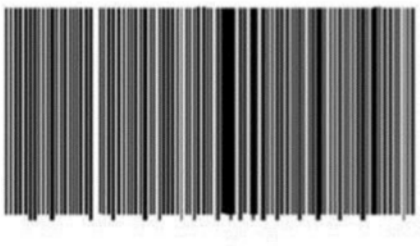
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**To:** PUS-APS2 ( IIA722 )
**Cc:** Army PM-PolComSO1 (McKay, David Mr)
**Subject:** FW: Op NORTHMOOR-Tell me sites you have looked at

**Categories:** NORTHMOOR

IIA722 ,

This is the response from DIO.

John

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**Sent:** 09 March 2016 17:27
**To:** Army Infra-ReqSO1 ( IIA775 )
**Subject:** FW: Op NORTHMOOR-Tell me sites you have looked at

IIA775 ,

The SGBC confirms that the following locations were considered for Op Northmoor:

1. Table 1 outlines the options that were considered:

| Option | Remarks |
|---|---|
| Southwick Park | Originally the preferred option due its proximity to Service Police Crime Bureau (SPCB). DIO would not have been able to deliver this option to the desired timescales. The host unit was also unable to support the additional numbers to its establishment shortfalls. |
| RAF St Mawgan | The building requires only minor works to make it habitable and the host unit can support the additional increase to its establishment with the addition of some extra SLA. |

| Option | Remarks |
|---|---|
| RAF Wyton | Not considered as site was earmarked for other Army Basing projects, and time and cost was prohibitive when compared to RAF St Mawgan. |
| Fort Blockhouse | Not costed as it could not meet [redacted] the security requirements due to [redacted] details of building requirements [redacted]. This was ruled out due to the high additional costs required to make it [redacted] compliant. |
| Keogh Barracks ([redacted] the building [redacted]) | Not costed. It required too much work to make it fit for purpose and therefore could not meet the timescales for delivery. |

Table 1

If you need more information please let me know.

Kind regards,

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[redacted] IIA775 ,

A quick find for you. This email was on file.

Kind Regards,

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**Sent:** 10 February 2015 09:01
**To:** DIO SAPT-Prog Land1c ( IIA776 )
**Subject:** RE: Op NORTHMOOR-Tell me sites you have looked at

IIA776 ,

So far we have looked at:

**Keogh Barracks** but it requires a substantial amount of work to provide the required capability.

The building at **Aldershot Garrison** but it is a TAU and therefore totally unfeasible for this requirement.

The building at **Fort Blockhouse** but it is details of building requirements . Security measures to prevent this would prove extremely costly as it is .

The building at **Southwick Park** – currently the preferred option but as it stands will take too long to deliver via the Contractor process unless the costs can be reduced and we go via another Contractor (Which should be quicker).

Details of what is preferably needed to move into the location as soon as possible.

Thank you again for your offer of assistance in this. Let me know if you require any additional information.

Regards,

IIA735

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IIA735 ,

Before I tie you in with SAPT SAM can you just give me a list of all the sites you have explored with regards locating Op NORTHMOOR, this will give SAPT SAM a headstart / feel for the type of site required.

Thanks in advance,

IIA776

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