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Dear Mr Dash

**FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 - REQUEST REF: 0066-17**

Thank you for your emails of 8 and 16 January 2017 asking for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) 2000.

On 8 January, you asked:

*Can you please supply me with copies of any communications between the Foreign Secretary, his staff or FCO staff and Serbian newspaper, Danas, which fit the following criteria:*

- *Were sent between 1 Oct 16 and 30 Nov 16*
- *Were sent by the Foreign Secretary, his staff or staff at the FCO to Danas, or were received by the Foreign Secretary, his staff or staff at the FCO from Danas.*

On 16 January, you refined your request as follows:

*As requested, to clarify this request, could you please provide between the Foreign Secretary, his staff or FCO staff and Serbian newspaper, Danas, which fit the criteria above, and relate to the criteria below:*

- *Relate to the official two-day visit of the Foreign Secretary to Serbia on 10th-12th November 2016.*
- *These communications could include (but are not limited to) correspondence prior to the visit outlining times/dates/etc., details of the Foreign Secretary's diary during the visit, any press releases sent to the media relating to this visit or any events that occurred on this visit, any invitations to the media outlet inviting them to events, and any correspondence that could provide the outlet with material to use in their publication*

I am sorry for the delay in responding to your request. I am writing to advise you that following a search of our paper and electronic records, I have established that the information you requested is not held by this Department.

If you wish to make a complaint or if you would like a review of our response, please write to the FOI and DPA Team at the Foreign and Commonwealth Office, Room K4.04, King Charles Street, London, SW1A 2AH. E-mail: [foi-dpa.imd@fco.gov.uk](mailto:foi-dpa.imd@fco.gov.uk). You have 40 working days to do so from the date this letter. Please remember to quote the reference number above in any future communications.

If you are not content with the outcome of the above, you may then apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a review of our response. Generally, the Information Commissioner will only carry out a review once you have exhausted the internal FCO complaints procedure. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF.

You can find responses to other FOI requests on the FCO's [website](#).

Yours sincerely,

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