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Dear Ms Drysdale

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 - REQUEST REF: 0539-15

Thank you for your email of 4 June 2015 asking for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) 2000. You asked:

- *Please provide me with any information held by the FCO, recorded in any format - including but not limited to correspondence to, from and within your ministerial department - relating to any instances in which the US Administration or any other official bodies in the US requested (or compelled/ tried to compel) or expressed a wish or opinion (either explicit or implied) that the UK government/authorities should prevent, in any way, the Employment Appeal Tribunal (England and Wales) from allowing a civil matter to succeed or be heard in court.*
- *Please be advised that I am only interested in civil matters which were ongoing in the Employment Appeal Tribunal during the period: 15 August 2012 to 15 February 2013 .*
- *Please also note that I am not interested in civil cases in which the US Administration or any other US official bodies were named parties to the legal proceedings.*

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 the Foreign and Commonwealth Office.

I hope you are satisfied with this reply. However, if you wish to make a complaint or if you would like a review of our decision, please write to the FOI and DPA Team at the Foreign and Commonwealth Office, Room K4.14, King Charles Street, London, SW1A 2AH. E-mail: 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 your complaint, you may then apply directly to the Information Commissioner for a decision. Generally, the Information Commissioner cannot make a decision unless you have exhausted the complaints procedure provided by the FCO. The Information Commissioner can be contacted at: Information Commissioner's Office, Wycliffe House, Water Lane, Wilmslow, Cheshire SK9 5AF.

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Yours Sincerely

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