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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 REQUEST REF: 0019-14

Thank you for your emails of 6, 7 and 8 January 2014 asking for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. You refined your request as follows:

My request now stands as dates for all visits made and received by William Hague by their foreign counterparts (other Foreign Secretary's). Please could you provide this information for the duration of David Cameron's term.

If it makes the request more manageable, I am only interested in visits made to/from the following countries:

*Saudi Arabia, UAE, Qatar, Oman, Turkey, Kuwait, Jordan, Singapore, Malaysia, Indonesiam
Israel, Japan, India, Australia, Thailand, RoK (South Korea)*

I am writing to confirm that we have now completed the search for the information which you requested.

I can confirm that the Foreign and Commonwealth Office (FCO) does hold information relevant to your request.

For visits made by the Foreign Secretary since 12 May 2010 please see the attached table which covers all visits including to the countries which you specified.

For inwards visits received by the Foreign Secretary since 12 May 2010 from the specified countries Foreign Secretaries, the number and dates of meetings are as follows:

Saudi Arabia: PM Meeting 23/3/11; lunch 23/3/11; bilat 20/6/12; bilat 4/9/13

UAE: Lunch 16/6/10; lunch 22/10/12; State Lunch 30/4/13; bilat 01/5/13

Qatar: State Lunch 27/10/10; Lunch 23/8/13; bilat 23/8/13; lunch 5/12/13

Oman: Bilat 12/7/10; bilat 17/4/13

Turkey: State Visit 22/11/11; PM bilat 22/11/11, Olympic Park visit 23/11/11; lunch 23/11/11 bilat 30/3/11 bilat 22/8/13, bilat 7/5/13

Kuwait: bilat 2/8/10; bilat 21/7/11; State Banquet 27/11/12; bilat 28/11/12; bilat 3/7/13

Jordan: lunch 5/7/10; bilat 12/5/11; lunch/dinner with HM King Abdullah (FM present) 10/11/11; 11/12/12; bilat 10/11/11; bilat 7/3/13; bilat 5/9/13; bilat 9/1/14

Malaysia: bilat 2/8/10; bilat 6/2/12; bilat 4/7/13; lunch with PM 14/7/11

Indonesia: State arrival 31/10/12; bilat 31/10/12; State Banquet 31/10/12; lunch with PM 1/11/12

Israel: bilat 6/10/11; bilat 22/5/12; lunch 7/1/14

Japan: bilat 3/5/10; press conf 3/5/10; dinner 17/10/12; Strategic Dialogue 18/10/12; Bilat 10/4/13

India: bilat 30/6/11

Australia: bilat 27/4/11; bilat 22/1/12; bilat AU/CAN 24/1/12; bilat 16/4/12; AU/CAN meeting 26/4/13;

Thailand: bilat 29/11/10

South Korea: State Visit 5/11/13

Please note that these meetings include both bilateral meetings and meetings in the sidelines of events such as State Visits, Guest of Government Visits or international conferences.

Information on Foreign Secretary's meetings is also published on the FCO website at the following link:

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/foreign-commonwealth-office/series/minister-data>

In keeping with the spirit and effect of the Freedom of Information Act, all information is assumed to be releasable to the public unless it is exempt. The information we have

supplied to you may now be published on our website together with any related information that will provide a key to its wider context.

Yours sincerely,

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