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Freedom of Information Act (2000) Request - Ref. FOI 0631-17

Thank you for your e-mail of 29 June 2017 asking for information under the Freedom of Information Act (2000). You asked:

Please provide copies of all briefings and diplomatic telegrams from Russia from September 5, 2016, to today's date which relate to the 2018 World Cup.

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

There are no briefings from Russia between 5 September 2016 and 29 June 2017 which relate to the 2018 World Cup. And there are no diplomatic telegrams from Russia between 5 September and 29 June 2017 which relate solely to the 2018 World Cup.

I can though confirm that the Foreign & Commonwealth Office (FCO) does hold information relevant to your request. You will find attached extracts from diplomatic telegrams between 5 September and 29 June where the content relates to the 2018 World Cup.

Yours sincerely

Russia Team

