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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT (FOIA) 2000 - REQUEST REF: 1072-14

Thank you for your email of 4th November 2014 asking for information under the Freedom of Information Act 2000. You asked:

1: The total amount spent in your department in the iTunes and Android stores for the years 2012, 2013 and 2014?

2: That information broken down into the name of each item purchased, when it was purchased and its cost?

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.

I can confirm that the Foreign & Commonwealth Office blocks access to the iTunes and Android stores from all of its corporate systems and therefore the answer to your questions are:

1: No financial expenditure relating to access to the iTunes and Android stores from our corporate IT system was incurred throughout the period 2012-2014.

2: No items were purchased.

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,

Knowledge and Technology Directorate



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