

FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 REQUEST REF: 0150-16

Information relevant to your request:

1 – How many people accompanied Sir John Major on his visit to Moscow for the funeral of Boris Nemstov in March 2015?

Sir John Major's Assistant Private Secretary and two Police Protection Officers accompanied Sir John Major on his visit to Moscow for the funeral of Boris Nemstov.

2 – In what cabin class did Sir John Major and those accompanying him travel and what was the cost of each ticket?

The party travelled in Business Class. Each ticket cost £1,605.76 with a booking fee of £53.65 for a total cost of £6,637.64.

3 – In what hotel did Sir John Major's party stay, what was the duration of their stay and the total cost?

The party flew to Moscow on 2 March 2015 at the request of the Prime Minister. They spent one night at the British Embassy in Moscow and flew back to the UK on 3 March 2015.

4 – Were any further expenses charged to the FCO?

VIP facilitation on arrival at Moscow cost an extra £593.6.