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FREEDOM OF INFORMATION ACT 2000 REQUEST REF: 1150-15

Thank you for your email of 1 December asking for information under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA) 2000. You asked:

I would like to request, under the Freedom of Information Act, a list concerning all meetings between representatives of the Foreign and Commonwealth Office and Prince Nasser bin Hamad al-Khalifa, son of the King of Bahrain, from the October 2014 until December 2015, including date, location, purpose, and specifying who the meeting was with (i.e. job titles of all FCO representatives present).

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.

We have completed a search of the electronic diaries and meeting records that we hold. You should be aware that we do not hold records of every meeting or encounter and therefore this list may not be exhaustive. The current UK Ambassador to Bahrain, Simon Martin has not met Prince Nasser bin Hamad al-Khalifa since taking up his Post in September 2015. The relevant information that we do hold is attached as a digest.

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.

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Yours sincerely,

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