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To:
Ms. Debbie Hewitt
Chair
The Football Association

Belgrade, 3rd of July 2025**Subject: Letter of Condolences**

Dear Ms. Hewitt,

It is with deep sadness that we have learned of the tragic passing of Mr. Diogo Jota, forward for Liverpool FC and the Portuguese national team, in a car accident that also claimed the life of his younger brother, Mr. André Silva.

Diogo Jota was an admired figure in English football — a player of outstanding talent, dedication, and integrity. Over his years at Liverpool FC, he won the hearts of fans across the country and made a lasting mark on the Premier League and English football as a whole.

This devastating loss has deeply affected the global football community. The pain of losing such a gifted athlete, alongside his brother who was also pursuing a career in professional football, is truly immeasurable.

On behalf of the Football Association of Serbia, we extend our most sincere condolences to The FA and the wider English football family. We kindly ask that you convey our heartfelt sympathy to Liverpool FC, a club that Diogo so proudly and passionately represented.

Our thoughts are with the families of Diogo and André, as well as all those in England and beyond who knew, loved, and respected them.

With deepest sympathy,

Dragan Džajić

President

Football Association of Serbia

Branko Radujko


General Secretary



To:
Mr. Pedro Proença, President
Ms. Teresa Romão, General Secretary
Portuguese Football Federation

Belgrade, 3rd of July 2025

Subject: Letter of Condolences

Dear Mr. Proença,

Dear Ms. Romão,

It is with deep sorrow and profound sympathy that we have received the devastating news of the tragic passing of Mr. Diogo Jota and his brother, Mr. André Silva.

This heartbreaking loss has shaken the entire football family — not only in Portugal, but across the world. Diogo Jota was an exceptional player, admired for his skill, dedication, and sportsmanship. His contribution to the Portuguese national team and to club football was immense, and his legacy will long be remembered both on and off the pitch.

The sudden and untimely passing of his younger brother André, also a professional footballer, adds to the pain of this tremendous tragedy. Words cannot fully express the sadness we feel in these difficult moments.

On behalf of the Football Association of Serbia, we extend our deepest condolences to the families of Diogo and André, to the Portuguese Football Federation, and to the people of Portugal. Please know that we stand in solidarity with you in grief, and we honor the memory of two lives taken far too soon.

May their memory live on in the hearts of those who knew and admired them.

With heartfelt sympathy,

Dragan Džajić

President

Branko Radujko

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