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Peskov's Ex-Wife Bought $2M Paris Home, Navalny Claims

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Alexei Navalny Youtube Channel

Anti-corruption activist Alexei Navalny has targeted President Vladimir Putin's spokesman yet again in a new report that claims his ex-wife bought a $2-million luxury apartment in Paris last year.

Navalny has repeatedly singled out Kremlin spokesman Dmitry Peskov for alleged corruption, releasing investigations into his luxury watches, an extravagant honeymoon vacation on a yacht in the Mediterranean and the lavish lifestyle of his alleged son.

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On Thursday, Navalny's Anti-Corruption Foundation claimed that Yekaterina Solotsinskaya, Peskov's ex-wife, had purchased a 180-square-meter apartment a few minutes' stroll from the Eiffel Tower.

The purchase agreement indicates that Solotsinskaya bought the residence for 1.7 million euros ($2 million) in September 2016, 1.2 million euros of which were paid in a down payment out of her personal account.

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Navalny questions the origin of the money, citing Solotsinskaya's unemployment and her lack of French as listed in the agreement.

"Let us not fool ourselves: the only real option is that the thief and extortionist Peskov divorced and handed his daughter and ex-wife a few million euros to start a new life," he says.

The video has been viewed almost half a million times since it was published on YouTube.

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