

From: [redact]
Sent: 08 November 2017 13:01
To: Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe; [redact]
Subject: RE: Aisling Awards 2017: FAO Minister Russell's Office

C – can you send [redact] our cost centre details for a hotel booking in Belfast?

From: [redact] **On Behalf Of** Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe
Sent: 08 November 2017 12:58
To: [redact]
Cc: Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe
Subject: RE: Aisling Awards 2017: FAO Minister Russell's Office

[redact],

No rooms available at the Europa(though I have dropped the hint to the organisers in case they are holding rooms).
The Fitzwilliam was out our price range unfortunately.

Looking at the Hilton Belfast...
What's your cost centre details so I can book you in?

regards

[redact] Deputy Private Secretary
Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe

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From: [redact]
Sent: 08 November 2017 12:22
To: [redact]; Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe
Subject: RE: Aisling Awards 2017: FAO Minister Russell's Office

Excellent! Everyone's a winner.

1645 works well.

By the way, worth considering the Fitzwilliam. A few doors down from the Europa, and a far nicer hotel (better rooms). If there is no price difference I'd recommend it.

Speak later.

[redact]

From: [redact]
Sent: 08 November 2017 10:41
To: [redact]; Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe
Subject: RE: Aisling Awards 2017: FAO Minister Russell's Office

Hi [redact].

How about a call at 16:45?

And yes, the awards are indeed black tie! An excuse for me to buy a new dress! 😊

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From: [redact]

Sent: 07 November 2017 16:52

To: [redact]; Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe

Subject: RE: Aisling Awards 2017: FAO Minister Russell's Office

Hi [redact] – yes I am free tomorrow. Between 1200 – 1500 and then after 1630.

Let me know when suits best.

On travel - the agenda isn't yet settled for the Dublin event, but I know that Mr Russell's panel is in the morning, so we should be able to leave in good time to catch a train that gets us into Belfast before 6pm (it's just over two hours).

There is a 1520 departure from Connolly that gets us into Belfast for 1729. I expect that will leave us plenty of time and allow for discussions in the margins (there are a lot of people he'll be interested in chatting to at this gig) and fit with arrival enough in advance of the Aisling Awards gig?

I'll sort my train ticket. Will you sort three rooms in the Europa?

Do you know if the Aisling Awards are black tie? I do love breaking out the Tux 😊

Best wishes,

[redact]

From: [redact]

Sent: 07 November 2017 15:02

To: [redact]; Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe

Subject: RE: Aisling Awards 2017: FAO Minister Russell's Office

Hi [redact],

Excellent! He'll be pleased to hear that.

Yes a chat would be good. Are you free tomorrow? We are off to Jersey on Thursday.

Our travel to Belfast will depend on when engagements in Dublin finish. We are going to try and get booked in the Europa Hotel, which is where the awards will take place.

Thanks,

[redact]

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From: [redact]

Sent: 07 November 2017 14:51

To: Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe

Subject: RE: Aisling Awards 2017: FAO Minister Russell's Office

Hi [redact],

Of course. Let me know what your travel schedule is and I'll book same (and same hotel you are both in if possible).

Was just thinking as your email popped into my inbox, that we need to have a discussion about the visit soon (this week?). [redact] and I talked last week about the need to make sure the comms angles are covered.

What do you think?

Best wishes,

[redact] | Head of the Scottish Government Innovation and Investment Hub in Ireland | Directorate for External Affairs | Scottish Government | 29 Merrion Road | Dublin | D04 P272 [redact]

From: [redact] On Behalf Of Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe

Sent: 07 November 2017 14:47

To: [redact]

Subject: FW: Aisling Awards 2017: FAO Minister Russell's Office

Hi [redact],

I hope you are well.

Mr Russell has asked if you will be available to attend this event as official support (he's specifically asked for you!)?

Thanks,

[redact]

[redact] | Private Secretary to Michael Russell, Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe | [redact]
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From: [redact]

Sent: 07 November 2017 14:34

To: Minister for UK Negotiations on Scotland's Place in Europe

Subject: FW: Aisling Awards 2017: FAO Minister Russell's Office

From: [redact]

Sent: 07 November 2017 14:30

To: [redact]

Cc: [redact]

Subject: Aisling Awards 2017: FAO Minister Russell's Office

Hi [redact],

Just a note to you again regarding the Minister's trip to Belfast. We're very keen to get the Minister up to us as soon as possible. If it suits your agenda we could send a car to collect the Minister on the 24th? Let me know if this would work better.

I have a few queries:

How many is travelling with the Minister for our seated plan?

Who needs seated beside the Minister if anybody at our top table?

Can you note it's a black tie event.

Please advise your plans on times for 24th we would be delighted to set up a business meeting if possible before the event at the same hotel of course.

On the press, Maria McCourt will be contacting your team.

Best, [redact]

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T: [redact]

On 31 Oct 2017, at 17:15, <[redact] > wrote:

Please note that I am out of the office until Wednesday 01 November and will only be reading emails intermittently. If you need urgent UK Relations advice please contact [redact] on [redact] or [redact] [redact] in the first instance. If you need to speak to me urgently please phone [redact] and leave your name and number if I don't answer immediately.

Thanks

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