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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: 13 December 2021 13:49
To: [REDACTED]
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: URGENT ACTION: REVIEW: Level 4 FMQ - Responses due 4 pm today

Thanks [REDACTED]

Kind regards,

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Hi [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] is off today so I have been going through the older papers to see what was originally written

Increased support for Woodland Creation target of 15,000 hectares new planting in 2022-23

Therefore as the headline is about investing in woodland creation instead of the current wording

“We continue to support our forestry bodies to deliver the Woodland creation target of 15,000 new hectares new planting in 2022-23 and to expand Scotland’s national forests and land.”

I would go with

We have increased the funding to Scottish Forestry to help deliver the improved woodland creation target of 15,000 hectares in 2022-23.

Kind Regards

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Importance: High

Good morning all,

Thank you for all your work last week. We are now preparing an additional FMQ around the Level 4 changes.

This FMQ pulls together rebuttal lines for any of the big changes (usually negative) to the Level 4 figures that opposition MSPs may bring up. Although there may be many changes from last year, we are looking for rebuttal lines for the biggest or most contentious changes only.

We are trying to control the length of this FMQ. Please can the smaller portfolios submit a few bullets but no more than half a page of lines, some may only need one bullet. Larger portfolios may need more but no more than three quarters of a page. This needs to be short and concise, please only focus in on the most important themes.

Please find attached template for you to use and return your responses on.

Please can all responses be returned to me by **4 pm today** (Monday 13 Dec).

Kind Regards

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