

FOI 202400401028 Information for Release

1. Emails Arranging Meeting at the Qatari Embassy

From: [redacted s.38]@moci.gov.qa>
Sent: Thursday, June 22, 2023 11:08 AM
To: [redacted s.38]@gov.scot>
Cc: [redacted s.38]@mofa.gov.qa; [redacted s.38]@gov.scot>
Subject: Re: Invitation to meet with the Scottish Government sand Scottish Development International - Friday 23rd June

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From: [redacted s.38]@gov.scot>
Sent: Wednesday, June 21, 2023 05:20 PM
To: [redacted s.38]@moci.gov.qa>
Cc: [redacted s.38]@mofa.gov.qa <[redacted s.38]@mofa.gov.qa>; [redacted s.38]@gov.scot>
Subject: RE: Invitation to meet with the Scottish Government sand Scottish Development International - Friday 23rd June

Dear [redacted s.38],

A slight change to our delegation ahead of Friday's meeting.

Unfortunately, John Webster can no longer attend due to a competing engagement. However, [redacted s.38], who is part of our Economic Diplomacy and Networks Team will join [redacted s.38] and [redacted s.38] at the meeting.

Many Thanks
[redacted s.38]

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From: [redacted s.38]@moci.gov.qa>
Sent: Thursday, June 15, 2023 4:34 PM
To: [redacted s.38]@gov.scot>
Cc: [redacted s.38]@mofa.gov.qa
Subject: Re: Invitation to meet with the Scottish Government sand Scottish Development International - Friday 23rd June

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From: [redacted s.38]@gov.scot <[redacted s.38]@gov.scot>
Sent: Wednesday, June 14, 2023 03:06 PM
To: [redacted s.38]@moci.gov.qa>
Cc: [redacted s.38]@mofa.gov.qa <[redacted s.38]@mofa.gov.qa>
Subject: RE: Invitation to meet with the Scottish Government sand Scottish Development International - Friday 23rd June

Dear [redacted s.38],

Many thanks for your quick response.

We would be delighted to proceed with the meeting with you on the 23rd, how about 10:30am?

Colleagues would be happy to travel to the Embassy for this discussion or equally host here at Scotland House, please let us know your preference.

With best wishes
[redacted s.38]

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From: [redacted s.38]@moci.gov.qa>
Sent: Tuesday, June 13, 2023 1:51 PM
To: [redacted s.38]@gov.scot>
Cc: Ambassador's Office- London <[redacted s.38]@mofa.gov.qa>
Subject: Re: Invitation to meet with the Scottish Government sand Scottish Development International - Friday 23rd June

[redacted s.32]

From: [redacted s.38]@gov.scot>
Sent: 09 June 2023 16:35
To: [redacted s.38]
Cc: Ambassador's Office- London; John.Webster@gov.scot
Subject: Invitation to meet with the Scottish Government sand Scottish Development International - Friday 23rd June

Dear [redacted s.38],

I hope this email finds you well.

I am contacting you following His Excellency Ambassador Al-Attiyah's visit to Scotland in April.

Following the Ambassador's meeting with Scott Wightman, I understand there was a commitment to follow up in London with both the Scottish Government and Scottish Development International (SDI) **[redacted s.32]**

I have now been advised that both **[redacted s.38]**, SDI **[redacted s.38]** and **[redacted s.38]** SDI **[redacted s.38]**, will be in London on Friday 23rd June.

Having both colleagues in the city, presents an ideal opportunity to build on initial discussions and therefore John Webster, the Head of Scottish Government's representation in London has asked me to enquire if a follow up meeting with the Ambassador and yourself on that date would be feasible?

I would be most grateful if you could put this request to the Ambassador for consideration.

With best wishes

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2. Email on First Minister's Personal Trip to Qatar

From: [redacted s.38] <[redacted s.38] gov.scot>
Sent: Friday, February 9, 2024 3:50 PM
To: [redacted s.38] <[redacted s.38]@gov.scot>; [redacted s.38] <[redacted s.38] mofa.gov.qa>
Subject: RE: First Minister of Scotland visiting Qatar

Dear [redacted s.38],

[redacted s.32] no assistance will be required on this occasion. He is very much looking forward to visiting Qatar with his family.

With very best wishes,

[redacted s.38]

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Office of the First Minister
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From: [redacted s.38] <[redacted s.38]@gov.scot>
Sent: Friday, February 9, 2024 11:22 AM
To: [redacted s.38] <[redacted s.38]@mofa.gov.qa>
Cc: [redacted s.38] <[redacted s.38]@gov.scot>
Subject: RE: First Minister of Scotland visiting Qatar

Thank you [redacted s.38], likewise nice to be in touch.

[redacted s.32]. I'm cc'ing my colleague, [redacted s.38], who works in the First Minister's office to take this forward.

Best regards,

[redacted s.38]

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From: [redacted s.38] <[redacted s.38]@mofa.gov.qa>
Sent: Friday, February 9, 2024 10:59 AM
To: [redacted s.38] <[redacted s.38]@gov.scot>
Subject: Re: First Minister of Scotland visiting Qatar

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On 8 February 2024 at 14:38:12 GMT, [redacted s.38].scot wrote:
Dear [redacted s.38]

I hope this email finds you well. We met when His Excellency the Ambassador visited Scotland last year, and met my Director Scott Wightman.

I wanted to let you know that the First Minister of Scotland, Mr Humza Yousaf, will visit Qatar with his family from 10-15 February. The visit is purely recreational in nature and the First Minister is not seeking any formal engagement whilst visiting your country, but we thought it important to inform the Embassy as a courtesy.

Please let me know if you need any more information, otherwise I look forward to meeting you on your next visit to Scotland.

Best regards,

[redacted s.38]

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