

**9<sup>th</sup> October 2023**

From: **[Redacted S.38(1)(b)]**; @scojec.org>  
Sent: 09 October 2023 17:19  
To: First Minister  
Cc: **[Redacted S.38(1)(b)]**; @scojec.org; **[Redacted S.38(1)(b)]**; Nick Bland  
Subject: FM Attendance at Service of Solidarity in Glasgow (as discussed with the FM directly)

Good afternoon,  
SCoJeC's **[Redacted S.38(1)(b)]**; (CCed) has just taken a call from the First Minister to discuss his wish to attend the Service of Solidarity which is being held in Giffnock Newton Mearns Synagogue on Thursday (12th) evening. The service is due to begin at 8PM (with people arriving from 7.30PM) and go on until no later than 9PM. The invite is still being drafted however I thought getting the core information over ASAP would be appreciated. Should the FM be able to rearrange his diary, as he said he'd like to be able to, we'd be pleased to have him there and also be happy to give him the opportunity to say a few words. Please do feel free to get in touch on the mobile number below if you'd like to discuss this further.

Best wishes,  
**[Redacted S.38(1)(b)]**;  
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**12<sup>th</sup> October 2023**

From: **[Redacted S.38(1)(b)]**; @scojec.org>  
Sent: 12 October 2023 14:20  
To: First Minister  
Subject: Re: Condolence letter

Hi **[Redacted S.38(1)(b)]**,  
Thanks for sending this over, I've passed it on to **[Redacted S.38(1)(b)]** brother.  
Best wishes,  
**[Redacted S.38(1)(b)]**;  
External Engagement Manager | Scottish Council of Jewish Communities  
On 12/10/2023 14:13 BST firstminister@gov.scot wrote:  
Dear **[Redacted S.38(1)(b)]**;  
Please see attached letter from the First Minister to the family of **[Redacted S.38(1)(b)]**. I would be grateful if you pass on a copy of the letter to the family please.

Kind Regards  
**[Redacted S.38(1)(b)]** Office of the First Minister  
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