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Subject: FW: Meeting with the Russian Consul General

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From: [REDACTED] **Sent:** 21 June 2017 11:26

To: [REDACTED]

Subject: FW: Meeting with the Russian Consul General

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From: Consulate General of Russia, Edinburgh [REDACTED]

Sent: 09 March 2017 18:13

To: [REDACTED]

Subject: Re: Meeting with the Russian Consul General

Dear [REDACTED],

These are the topics my Consul General would be glad to discuss with Mr Brown:

- 1 Scottish Trade mission to Russia (eventuality)
- 2 Elaboration of a roadmap for strengthening economic (trade) relations between Russia ans Scotland
- 3 Promotion of existing links between Russia and Scotland (establishment of the House of Scotland in Russia)
- 4 Potential Support for Arctic Convoys Project in Pool-Ewe
- 5 Other forms of cooperation

Hope you will find it useful.

My Consul General would be ready to discuss [REDACTED] issue as well.

One technical question - should he go through the main entrance of the Parliament to reception? or will someone meet him?

Kind regards,

[REDACTED]

Magomet Zyazikov Vice-Consul

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Hi again [REDACTED]

Apologies for chasing you on this – grateful if you could advise the topics the Consul General might like to cover in his meeting with Mr Brown and also confirmation of who

will be accompanying the CG.

I will have to advise Mr Brown's office so that reception staff are aware of who is attending

Many thanks

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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: 06 March 2017 10:45

To: 'Consulate General of Russia, Edinburgh'

Cc: [REDACTED]

Subject: RE: Meeting with the Russian Consul General

[REDACTED]

Thank you for your reply confirming that the Consul General is available to meet Mr Brown on 15 March, 17.10 - 18.00

This is to confirm that the meeting will take place in Mr Brown's office [REDACTED] in the Scottish Parliament.

As I am briefing Mr Brown, could you advise what particular topics the Consul General would like to discuss so that I can create an agenda for their meeting. Mr Brown has recently met [REDACTED] who have told him that the Consulate has been very helpful in helping them resolve a business dispute it has with a Russian company [REDACTED]

Mr Brown would appreciate any update that the Consul General could give on this.

Grateful if you also confirm who will be accompanying the Consul General to this meeting.

Many thanks

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From: Consulate General of Russia, Edinburgh [[REDACTED]]

Sent: 28 February 2017 11:47

To: [REDACTED]

Subject: Re: Meeting with the Russian Consul General

Dear [REDACTED]

Sorry for delay in replying.

The Russian Consul General Mr Andrey Pritsepov confirms that Wednesday 15 March – 17.10 - 18.00 is suitable for him to meet Mr Keith Brown.

If there are any changes due to parliamentary business please let us know.

Kind regards, Alexei Kulakov Senior Consul

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Good morning

Following the recent Ministerial trade and investment briefing held with the [REDACTED], the Russian Consul General asked for a meeting with the Cabinet Secretary for Economy, Jobs and Fair Work, Mr Keith Brown,to discuss bilateral trade and investment co-operation.

Please see below suggested dates below for this meeting. Please note these dates are subject to parliamentary business. If neither are suitable, we are happy to look for alternatives.

- Wednesday 15 March 17.10 18.00
- Wednesday 22 March 16.15 17.00

The meeting would be held in Mr Brown's office in the Scottish Parliament. Grateful if you could advise if any of these dates are suitable

Best regards

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