



FOI - BIS - please reply

McLeod, Jonathan (LDN-WSW) to: 'Chris J Wade', michael.prescott@bt.com

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Cc: "Miller, Pavel (LDN-WSW)", "Pugh, Simon (LDN-WSW)", Phelan, Joe

I have just had the same request from Paul Bannister at BIS re the joint letter. He all but told me that NC is behind these requests. They want to know by COP Friday what our view is on this - they won't necessarily listen.

I took the opportunity to ask him when we would hear from Hunt - he said he thought it would be late January/early February.

Regards

Jon

-----Original Message-----

From: Chris J Wade [mailto:chris.j.wade@guardian.co.uk]

Sent: 19 January 2011 15:42

To: michael.prescott@bt.com; McLeod, Jonathan (LDN-WSW); Phelan, Joe (LDN-WSW); guy.black@telegraph.co.uk; nick.fullagar@trinitymirror.com

Subject: Re: Oxford media event

FYI, BIS have had an FoI request to see our (GMG's, as distinct from the alliance's) letter to Cable from last year. They're not allowed to say who it was from of course but the impression given was that it was News. We won't object