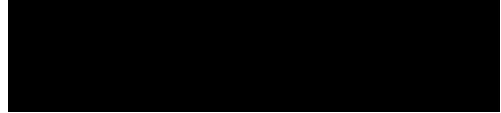




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Dear Marie

Joint Ministerial Committee (European Negotiations) Meeting – 3 December 2020

The Committee for the Executive Office has requested information on forthcoming meetings of the Joint Ministerial Committee (European Negotiations).

A meeting of the Joint Ministerial Committee (European Negotiations) took place 14.15-15.45 on Thursday 3 December 2020.

The Executive was represented at the meeting by the First Minister, deputy First Minister and Junior Ministers Lyons and Kearney. The agenda for the meeting, as agreed by all four administrations is attached at **Appendix A**.

A written update on the key points made by Executive Ministers at the meeting will also be provided to the Committee.

Yours sincerely

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Assembly Section

JOINT MINISTERIAL COMMITTEE

EU NEGOTIATIONS

Welcome and Introductions (5 minutes)

UK-EU Future Relationship (25 minutes)

- Discussion of latest developments in UK EU negotiations
- Discussion on Withdrawal Agreement Joint Committee and Specialised Committees
 - Update on Northern Ireland Protocol

Transition Period Update (20 minutes)

- Operational Readiness engagement
- Legislation, including timetable

Future Engagement (15 minutes)

- Update on the Review of Intergovernmental Relations
 - Future engagement post-Transition Period

Common Frameworks (10 minutes)

- Update on Common Frameworks programme

UK Internal Market Bill (10 minutes)

- Update on progress of the UK Internal Market Bill

AOB (5 mins)