

FOI 057 - Log of meetings between the Scottish Government and SQA re NQ results 2021, between 13 July and 13 August

Date	Purpose	Attendees	Agenda	Papers
22 July 2021	Developments in run up to Results Day 2021	SQA Beth Black Scottish Government Head SFIO SGLDSE Redacted x23	Agenda 1. Update on Results Day preparations (NQ Team); Engagement with Cabinet Secretary; Results Day events and communication activity 2. Questions/ Concerns/ Issues (All) 3. Next Steps (NQ Team) 4. AOB	N/A
27 July 2021	2021 Results Statistics	SQA Beth Black Education Scotland x1 redacted Scottish Government x1 redacted		N/A
29 July 2021	NQ Results 2021	SQA Fiona Robertson Beth Black Scottish Government Shirley Anne Somerville MSP Supporting officials (names not held)		See Meet 3
5 August 2021	Results Day pre-meet	SQA Fiona Robertson Beth Black John Booth x1 Redacted Scottish Government x5 Redacted Education Scotland x1 redacted		N/A
10 August 2021	Results day media briefing on	SQA Fiona Robertson	Agenda 09:45 Welcome, housekeeping, and	N/A

	national attainment statistics with SQA Chief Executive	David Middleton Beth Black Gill Stewart Jean Blair John Booth Scottish Government x2 redacted Media ~20 in attendance, redacted	introductions 09:50 Opening Remarks from Fiona Robertson, SQA Chief Executive, and Scotland's Chief Examining Officer 10:05 Presentation of attainment data from Beth Black, SQA Director of Policy, Analysis, and Standards 10:25 Questions 10:45 Close	
12 August 2021	C-19 Education Recovery Group	https://www.gov.scot/publications/covid-19-education-recovery-group-minutes-12-august-2021/		

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