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“Education secretary Jenny Gilruth recently met with SQA officials to discuss problems with the marking of Higher history.

Please release under FOISA:

- Copies of all briefings, background or other materials prepared in advance of this meeting
- Confirmation of all attendees, including whether a separate minute taker was present
- A copy of the minutes from the meeting
- A copy of any personal notes from attendees at the meeting “

## Attachments

Ref	Email	Attachment	Provided	Note
1	Higher History Briefing – Sunday 15 September 2024	NQ 24 Higher History	Yes	
2	In confidence - DRAFT Higher History statement – 11 September 2024	HH Statement	Yes	

## Emails

From: Gill Stewart <Gill.Stewart@sqa.org.uk>

Sent: 16 September 2024 10:45

To: Donna Stewart <Donna.Stewart@sqa.org.uk>

Subject: FW: Higher History Briefing

Helpful for you to see this summary

Gill

From: Iain Morrison <Iain.Morrison@sqa.org.uk>

Sent: Sunday, September 15, 2024 5:07 PM

To: SQA Chief Executive's Office <ceo.office@sqa.org.uk>

Cc: Gill Stewart <Gill.Stewart@sqa.org.uk>

Subject: Higher History Briefing

Good morning – I hope you had a good weekend.

I have attached an updated version of the briefing I sent to you on Friday as I have made changes to one point after some further work over the weekend around some research being conducted by PAS. Apologies for any issues this may cause.

Iain

Iain Morrison

Head of Humanities, Care & Services | Ceannard nan Daonnachdan, Cùram & Sheirbheisean  
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From: John Booth

Sent: 11 September 2024 13:18

To: [REDACTED] gov.scot

Subject: In confidence - DRAFT Higher History statement

Importance: High

Hi [REDACTED]

This isn't yet signed off but thought it would be helpful for you to see so you can prepare briefing for Cab Sec.

Will send on final version asap.

John

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