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Ok one of those actions are covered we have the 2 hour slot with ref AMT on the 10th. Do you think that is sufficient in terms of timeframes? Given ask are looking for a response by next Friday....

I agree we need to focus on this on Thursday. Unfortunately I can't attend on Thursday afternoon

has been managing the agenda for Thursday if that needs changed, we need to discuss with and highlight to people, as they are all preparing (we shouldn't do that last minute). At the moment agenda is as follows, with an hour on each:

Wild fish -
Medicine -
Data reporting - and others
Scotland's Aquaculture web -

With guests invited accordingly, so and FOI are invited due to last two items. So any changes to that agenda needs done sooner rather than later and people need to be advised.

Thanks

From: @sepa.org.uk>
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I think we should use the time we have on Thursday to map out a position on medicines. I developed an initial framework in the form of flow charts that has progressed with . I think we need

to use this as the basis of the show and tell discussion and then prepare a draft recommended position. Once we have done this , I think we should then check in with AMT.

This would mean:

1. Making sure the right people are there on Thursday - I think [redacted] are key
2. Cutting the agenda. My inclination is to make this the sole item but at any rate the number of other items really needs to be significantly thinned!

I think we then need to:

- (a) ask someone to write a draft recommendation on the basis of the discussion;
- (b) review and agree this at special ACG call; and
- (c) get a slot with Reg AMT
- (d) down with [redacted] and explain

Agree this is something on which we now need to move quickly.

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How do you want to progress the below. As you know [redacted] was in Norway last week and much was made about this product from a Scottish company winning the innovation award in Norway and not being able to be used in Scotland currently. This was reiterated to me over the three days, by a number of prominent people in the industry. I did push the premise of bringing treatment system over to use with existing bath treatments and how that would be reasonably straightforward.

Thanks

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Morning, you'll have seen the OME from [redacted] regarding a briefing required for a meeting with Benchmark.

Please can you provide me with an approved response by next Friday 30 August which I'll send on to her. If needs it sooner, I'll let you know.

Thank you.

Best wishes,

Hi

Sorry for the further email. Just to add (and now coping EQD) met with Benchmark quite a while back/ when they first wanted to describe the system and a submission was provided on where we were at request.

I think it would be helpful if another submission on current status from MSLOT/ EQD/ SEPA went to prior to the meeting, rather than having to respond post meeting with Benchmark.

We will also need to make sure the right people in the room and provide briefing for the meeting.

Best regards

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

From: @parliament.scot
Sent: 22 August 2019 14:19
To: Cabinet Secretary for the Rural Economy <CabSecRE@gov.scot>
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Subject: Early Meeting with Benchmark

An early meeting was requested by Benchmark and I agreed. Can this be set up at their Edinburgh office please.

They are trialling their new vessel in Norway which is hugely disappointing. They do however want to do this in Scotland, and therefore purpose of the meeting is to go over the position and see what the barriers to trialling in Scotland have been and see about overcoming these barriers as a matter of urgency.

This is sensitive as we are in my opinion exposed now for failing to enable the trialling of the Cleantreat system here - but we have the chance to put that right. Benchmark picked up the innovation awarded at Aquanor - and this is effectively the awarded for the best innovation in the world in Aquaculture. If successful, it has the potential to be game changing and help us overcome the negative press and answer even more effectively the persistent critics of the sector.

As aquaculture Minister I need to be able to see the worlds greatest innovator innovate here and not only in Norway!

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