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Office of the First Minister and Cabinet Office



Llywodraeth Cymru  
Welsh Government

Our ref: ATISN 10355

Date: 29 April 2016

Dear ,

### **Request for Information – ATISN reference 10355**

Thank you for your request which was received by the Welsh Government on 1 April 2016. You asked for the following information:

- To provide full details of all First Minister's diary engagements between Jan-April 2016
- To provide all correspondence between the Welsh Government and Tata between Jan-April 2016
- To provide all correspondence between Welsh Government and UK Government relating to steel/Tata between Jan -April 2016
- All correspondence between Welsh Government and Stephen Kinnock between Jan-April 2016
- All correspondence between Welsh Government and Community trade union between Jan and April 2016

A response to all parts of your request other than part 1 is being handled separately under reference ATISN 10343.

With regard to part 1, full details of all First Minister's diary engagements between Jan-April 2016, the information you have requested is at Annex 1. I have noted that the subsequent parts of your request related to recent events surrounding Tata Steel. I have therefore extended the period for which I have provided the First Minister's diary information to the first week of April. This provides you with the full picture of the First Minister's activities during the week when the Assembly was recalled to discuss this matter.

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Information Rights Unit,  
Welsh Government,  
Cathays Park,  
Cardiff,  
CF10 3NQ

or

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Wycliffe House,  
Water Lane,  
Wilmslow,  
Cheshire,  
SK9 5AF.

However, please note that the Commissioner will not normally investigate a complaint until it has been through our own internal review process.

Yours sincerely

Annex 1

DATE	ENGAGEMENT
1/4 January	No engagements – Christmas recess
5 January	Visit Bontnewydd and Tal-y-bont flood areas
6 January	Internal meetings
7 January	Constituency engagements
8 January	Political engagements
9 January	Attend Wrexham FC v Woking in Wrexham
10 January	No engagements
11 January	Internal meetings Debate with Nigel Farage
12 January	Plenary day – Internal meetings
13 January	Plenary day – internal meetings
14 January	Political visits Phone call – Dr Karl Kohler, Tata Steel Internal meetings
15 January	Constituency engagements Political visits
16 January	British Association of Physicians of Indian Origin (BAPIO) Annual Dinner at City Hall, Cardiff
17 January	Political panel debate – BBC Sunday Supplement
18 January	Internal meetings Press Conference Interviews re Tata Steel
19 January	Plenary day – Internal meetings
20 January	5Live interview Radio 4 Today Programme interview Plenary day – Internal meetings St David Awards finalists' reception at the Pierhead Equity reception at the WMC
21 January	Evidence to the House of Lords Constitution Committee, Ty Hywel, Cardiff Bay Internal meetings Armed Forces Wales Awards Dinner at the Cardiff City Stadium

22 January	Constituency day Radio 4 Any Questions in Pembroke Dock
23 January	Constituency engagements
24 January	No engagements
25 January	Post Cyntaf interview Internal meetings Visit to TWI Technology Centre in Port Talbot Visit Bay Studios in Swansea Visit Neath Town Centre regeneration Carwyn Connect, Neath
26 January	Plenary day – internal meetings
27 January	Holocaust Memorial Service at Llandaf Cathedral Plenary day – internal meetings Political meetings in London
28 January	Political visits
29 January	Constituency engagements
30 January	Political engagement Attend official opening of University Catholic Chaplaincy in Cardiff
31 January	No engagements
1 February	Internal meetings
2 February	Plenary day – internal meetings
3 February	Address NHS Confederation conference at Cardiff City Stadium Meeting – Future Generations Commissioner Meeting – Network Rail Plenary day – internal meetings
4 February	Engagements in North Wales - Talysarn Flying Start, Caernarfon - Penrhyn Quarry - A55 Traffic Management Centre, Conwy - Derwen Deg Nursery, Llandudno Junction - Triumph Actuation Systems, Deeside
5 February	Political visits
6 February	Constituency engagement Service to mark the Centenary of the Archdiocese of Cardiff at St David's Cathedral, Cardiff
7 February	No engagements
8 February	Internal meetings Meeting, Cardiff Airport Chair

9 February	Plenary day – internal meetings
10 February	Meeting – Sir General Nicholas Carter, Chief of General Staff of the Army Meeting – Tom Jones, European Economic and Social Committee (EESC) Plenary day – internal meetings Political engagement Chinese New Year reception at the Royal Welsh College of Music & Drama
11 February	Opening of CapGemini Delivery Centre in Treforest Internal meetings BBC Question Time in Llanelli
12 February	Constituency engagements
13 February	Attend Wales v Scotland Six Nations game at the Millennium Stadium
14/15 February	No engagements
16 February	Political engagements
17 February	Political engagements
18 February	Visit Alesi-Surgical in Cardiff Medicentre at University Hospital of Wales Guardian interview Internal meetings
19-21 February	Labour Party Conference in Llandudno
22 February	Internal meetings Meeting with Football Association of Wales Meeting with Local Authority Leaders
23 February	Plenary day – internal meetings
24 February	Press conference and photocall re Aston Martin Meeting – Director, BBC Wales Meeting – Welsh Language Commissioner Visit to St Athan re Aston Martin Plenary day – internal meetings
25 February	Opening of Welsh Language Centre, Cardiff Old Library Meeting with Netherlands Ambassador Political visits Open FirstSource new office in Cardiff Welsh Business Awards dinner at the National Museum
26 February	Evidence to the Assembly Committee for Scrutiny of the First Minister at the Senedd Constituency engagement Attend Wales v France Six Nations game at the Millennium Stadium

27 February	Constituency engagements
28 February	No engagements
29 February	Political engagements Host St David's Day reception at the Royal Welsh College of Music & Drama Internal meetings
1 March	Plenary day – internal meetings Jeremy Vine radio show
2 March	Cutting of the Sod of Coleg Y Cymoedd in Aberdare Meeting with Cardiff Council Plenary day – internal meetings Attend Green Growth Summit reception at Cardiff Castle
3 March	St David's Day reception for the Diplomatic Corp in London Political meetings in London
4 March	Constituency engagements
5/6 March	No engagements
7 March	Monthly press conference Internal meetings Opening of General Dynamics UK facility at Merthyr Tydfil Political interview
8 March	Plenary day – internal meetings
9 March	Political interview Chair meeting of the Wales Resilience Forum Meeting with Students from Colgate University, USA Plenary day – internal meetings Political event
10 March	BBC interview Internal meetings Host St David Awards dinner
11 March	Visit Ysgol Bryn Castell in Bryncethin Opening of Celtic Court in Bridgend Constituency engagements
12 March	No engagements
13 March	Attend Cardiff Devils v Belfast ice hockey game, Cardiff Bay
14 March	Meeting with TUC representatives Visit Western Mail offices in Cardiff to meet the new Editor Meeting – Wesley Clover/Regional Entrepreneurship Acceleration Programme Meeting with Football Association of Wales Political engagement

15 March	Plenary day – internal meetings Attend announcement of City Deal at Admiral House, Cardiff
16 March	Chair Welsh Language Partnership Council Meeting with Dow Corning BBC Interview Plenary day – internal meetings
17 March	BBC Radio Wales interview Visit to Peter's Food factory Re-dedication and opening of Tŷ Maeth, Royal College of Nurses in Cardiff Political interviews Political Debate – Governance of Wales Accountability Assembly in Cardiff
18 March	Constituency engagements
19 March	Attend Wales v Italy Six Nations game at the Millennium Stadium
20 March	No engagements
21 March	Political meetings Opening of Penarth Learning Community Centre in Penarth Phone call with Mr Koushik Chatterjee, Tata Steel Internal meetings
22 March	Good Morning Wales interview Business breakfast at GloWorks in Cardiff Bay Internal meetings Meet the Wales Football Squad Phone call – Secretary of State for Wales, Alun Cairns
23 March	Political visits
24 March	Attend Engineering Education Scheme Wales annual event in Swansea
25/28 March	Easter weekend – no engagements
29 March	Political visit
30 March	Phone call – Stuart Wilkie, Tata Steel Phone call - Jeremy Corbyn Phone call – Secretary of State for Wales, Alun Cairns BBC News Channel interview LBC interview BBC Good Evening Wales interview Phone call – Prime Minister Interviews at Port Talbot – ITV Wales, BBC Wales Today, Channel 4 News
31 March	BBC Breakfast interview at Port Talbot Phone call – Mr Koushik Chatterjee, Tata Steel Phone call – Roy Rickhuss, Community Union Phone call – Bill Duckworth, Tata, Shotton

Dell in Wales launch, Cardiff Bay  
Channel 4 interview

1 April

Constituency engagements  
Political engagements

2 April

Political engagements

3 April

No engagements

4 April

Radio Cymru interview  
Good Morning Wales interview  
Internal meetings  
Phone call – Sanjeev Gupta, Liberty Steel  
Plenary - Assembly recalled  
Interviews  
Political debate – Cardiff Business Club

5 April

Meeting with the Prime Minister in Downing Street  
Interviews  
Political visits

6 April

Political visits

7 April

Political visits  
Meeting with students from University of South Wales  
Meeting with Liberty Steel  
Al Jazeera interview