

Minute note - Cross Party Group on Oil and Gas

Held on Wednesday 20 June 2012, 17:30 – 20:30

Committee Room 1, the Scottish Parliament, Edinburgh, EH99 1SP

Cross Party Group Minutes:

Alistair	Adams	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Jacqueline	Anderson	Franco-Scottish Business Club
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Gavin	Brydone	Franco-Scottish Business Club
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Sylvia	Buchan	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Jean-Francois	Cam	Total E&P
Erika	Campbell	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Bill	Cattanach	DECC
Stewart	Charman	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Garry	Clark	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Pierre-Alain	Coffinier	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Colin	Cooper	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Elsa	Davidson	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Janice	Dickson	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Jim	Galloway	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Anne	Gilhooley	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Iain	Gray	MSP
Britta	Hallbauer	Taqva
Margaret	Irving	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Steven	Jansch	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Christine	Jardine	UK Government
Christine	Jones	Total E&P
Paul	Jones	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Tony	Kirkland	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Maggi	Kirkland	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Adrian	Laird Craig	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Alison	Langford	Exxon Mobil
Peter	Lindow	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Patsi	MacKenzie	Franco-Scottish Business Club
James	McCormack	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Christine R	McCormack	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Mike	McGonigal	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Carol	McGregor	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Jamie	McGrigor	MSP
Alison	McInnes	MSP

Vince	McKeown	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Iain	McLean	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Nanette	Milne	MSP
Susan	Moore	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Gwen	Napier	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Allyson	Noble	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Nicholas	Oddy	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Miles	Oglethorpe	Scottish Government
Robin	Paine	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Ally	Rae	BP
Beverly	Raeburn	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Malcolm	Ricketts	Wood Mackenzie
Bert	Robertson	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Dennis	Robertson	MSP
Linda	Rosborough	Marine Scotland
Graham	Russell	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Mary	Scanlon	MSP
Gwyneth	Scholefield	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Tavish	Scott	MSP
Angus	Smith	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Ruth	Smith	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Fiona	Spawforth	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Jenny	Stanning	Oil & Gas UK
Kevin	Stewart	MSP
Steven	Stewart	Franco-Scottish Business Club
John	Taylor	National Grid
Adrian	Todd	Franco-Scottish Business Club
Maureen	Watt	MSP
Muick	Wood	Total E&P

Apologies:

Richard	Baker	MSP
Chic	Brodie	MSP
Emma	Cheek	Researcher
Phil	Hannoford	Aberdeen University
Alex	Hill	Met Office
Rhoda	Grant	MSP
Lewis	Macdonald	MSP
Mark	Macdonald	MSP
Jenny	Marra	MSP
David	Rennie	Scottish Enterprise
James	Trolland	Spae Consulting
Tim	Smith	BP

The meeting was opened by the MSP host, Maureen Watt who thanked Total E&P for their sponsorship, welcomed members of the Franco-Scotland Business Club to the meeting and introduced the Consul General for France, Pierre-Alain Coffinier,

Monsieur Pierre-Alain Coffinier spoke a few words about business in Scotland before handing over to the keynote speaker, Jean-Francois Cam from Total E&P.

Jean-Francois Cam explained how technology had been used on the Islay project. Following his presentation, Jean-Francois Cam took questions from the audience including queries about pipe maintenance, Environmental Impact Assessments, interaction with the commercial and leisure fishing industry, investment in the North Sea, vessel availability and engineering and training in offshore skills.

Maureen Watt thanked Jean-Francois Cam for his time, reminded Cross Party Group members that the next meeting would be 19 September and themed around decommissioning, with speakers from Decom North Sea and Shell and thanked Total E&P's Issues Manager Christine Jones and invited her to say some closing words.

Christine Jones thanked attendees for their time, Cross Party Group members for allowing members of the Franco-Scottish business club to join the meeting and invited attendees to enjoy the hot refreshments.

The meeting closed after informal networking at 20:30

Ends.