

From: Cross, Ian
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: RE: RE: Liam Byrne's note
Date: 13 August 2014 09:27:37

Thank you

☺ Ian Cross

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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: 12 August 2014 20:09
To: Cross, Ian
Subject: Re: RE: Liam Byrne's note

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Ian,

Nothing happened on this. I think David Laws still has the letter despite HM Treasury having requested it from him. I will renew my pursuit of it.

From: Cross, Ian
Sent: Tuesday, August 12, 2014 09:27 AM GMT Standard Time
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: FW: RE: Liam Byrne's note

Just going through e-mails. Did anything ever happen to this? Now we have new and more collaborative people in HMT it may be a good time to raise it again?

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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: 04 July 2013 10:39
To: Cross, Ian
Subject: RE: RE: Liam Byrne's note [RESTRICTED PRIVATE]

Ian,

I only usually visit HMT if there is a pressing need for it. Currently, my time is better spent processing the work they are sending in and communicating via phone / email.

I could chase up the Liam Byrne note next week if you wish; that would have provided them with sufficient time to receive a response from David Laws. Let me know how you wish me to proceed.

From: Cross, Ian
Sent: 04 July 2013 09:28
To: [REDACTED]
Subject: FW: RE: RE: Liam Byrne's note [RESTRICTED PRIVATE]

Is it 31 July you next visit to HMT?

Ian

From: Stocken, Julia
Sent: 03 July 2013 14:36
To: [REDACTED]; Cross, Ian
Subject: FW: RE: RE: Liam Byrne's note [RESTRICTED PRIVATE]

[REDACTED] and Ian

Whenever you meet with [REDACTED] can you ask for progress, please? I don't think further email traffic is required at this stage.

Thanks

Julia Stocken

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From: Tullo, Carol
Sent: 03 July 2013 13:06
To: Stocken, Julia
Subject: RE: RE: Liam Byrne's note [RESTRICTED PRIVATE]

Thanks – I'll let Oliver know! Can you keep track of this so we follow up with [REDACTED] ... in some way?

CT

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From: Stocken, Julia
Sent: 02 July 2013 10:05
To: Tullo, Carol
Subject: FW: [RESTRICTED] RE: Liam Byrne's note [RESTRICTED PRIVATE]

Carol

Please see below.

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From: [REDACTED]
Sent: 02 July 2013 09:37
To: Stocken, Julia
Cc: [REDACTED]
Subject: [RESTRICTED] RE: Liam Byrne's note [RESTRICTED PRIVATE]

Hi,

I haven't seen the contents. As the item is on HMT letter headed paper I have asked David Laws to return the letter to the Treasury. We will make a decision once it is back in our possession.

Regards,

[Redacted]

[Redacted] Head of Corporate Information and Records Management, HM Treasury. [Redacted]

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From: Stocken, Julia [mailto:Julia.Stocken@nationalarchives.gsi.gov.uk]
Sent: 25 June 2013 16:18
To: [Redacted]
Subject: Liam Byrne's note [RESTRICTED PRIVATE]

Dear [Redacted]

Because of the coverage of the letter from Liam Byrne to David Laws at 6pm this evening, I'd like to pre-empt any enquiries about its status as a public record. It seems David Laws still has the letter, written on headed notepaper.

<http://www.itv.com/news/west/update/2013-06-24/exclusive-video-of-infamous-treasury-memo/>

What's your view on this? Do you consider it a public record or an informal communication? Was David Laws given any advice on its status? Would you consider selecting it for permanent preservation?

Your views would be much appreciated.

Thanks

Julia Stocken

Head of Information Management and Practice

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