

## MEETING NOTE (5<sup>th</sup> October 2020)

INV Number:

<b>TITLE/ORGANISATION:</b>		Secretary of State Brandon Lewis	
<b>VENUE:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> e.g. PB		<input type="checkbox"/> <b>OTHER:</b> Parliament Buildings via zoom
<b>LIST OF ATTENDEES:</b>		<div style="border: 1px dashed black; display: inline-block; padding: 2px;">NR</div> NIO	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Minister</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>Spad</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <b>PS</b>	
<b>OFFICIALS:</b>			
<b>OTHERS:</b>			
<b>KEY POINTS DISCUSSED</b>			
<p>COVID 19 Update including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Local restrictions in Derry and Strabane LGD</li><li>• Potential for further measures being implemented across NI if figures continue to rise</li><li>• National Testing sites – Minister Swann alluded to the technical issues which arose over the weekend and advised he had been in contact with Matt Hancock today</li><li>• Nightingale Hospital and stepdown facility at Whiteabbey</li><li>• Continuing engagement between Minister and SOS for NI</li></ul> <p>Requests for information about the NI COVID position – Minister Swann reiterated that he is more than willing to engage and provide updates to SOS but this must be through the Private Offices and not official to official.</p>			

<b>ISSUES AGREED:</b> Continuing engagement between Minister and SOS for NI	
<b>ACTION POINTS / OFFICIAL RESPONSIBLE:</b> None arising from this meeting	
<b>NOTE WRITTEN BY:</b> <div style="border: 1px dashed black; padding: 2px 10px;">NR</div>	<b>DATE:</b> 5 October 2020