

Minutes
Meeting with First Minister of Scotland

Date: 13/07/2017

Participants:

Nicola Sturgeon, First Minister of Scotland


TF50:

Michel Barnier, Chief negotiator


Main points:

Michel Barnier met Scotland's First Minister Nicola Sturgeon at her request in his office in Brussels.

Ms Sturgeon presented the position of Scotland in relation to the UK's withdrawal from the EU, as it is contained in the official position papers of the Scottish Government. She drew attention to the role of the Scottish Government and Parliament in the UK political process.

Michel Barnier stressed that he is interested in listening to the views of various UK actors, but that negotiations will only take place with the UK government. He explained that the EU has a variety of models for its relationships with non-member countries, and that all those models were on the table.

