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From: Redacted (Section 40)

Sent: 13 September 2017 11:25

To: Redacted (Section 40)

Subject: RE: ACTION: HL 1509

And some suggested lines on this second one:

To ask Her Majesty's Government, whether, during his recent visit to Libya, the Foreign Secretary discussed reports that the Libyan Coastguard threatened and fired upon search and rescue vessels.

Aware of such reports. During his visit in August, as on his previous visit in May, the Foreign Secretary raised the Libyan Coastguard with PM Serraj, underscoring the importance of respecting human rights and international law. He also visited the Coastguard Naval base. We have made clear that all vessels must operate in accordance with maritime law and any behaviour that threatens legitimate search and rescue activity is not acceptable. The Libyan Coastguard training package – which the UK is helping to deliver – aims to help develop a corps of professional Libyan Coastguard personnel with the skills required to manage search and rescue activities properly, whilst respecting human rights and international law.

Do check NAJU leads are content on this one.

Best,

Redacted (Section 40)

From: Redacted (Section 40)

Sent: 12 September 2017 16:50

To: Redacted (Section 40)

Subject: FW: ACTION: HL 1509

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Redacted (Section 40) is away with P3+3 prep. Have a you line for this one.

Many thanks

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From: Redacted (Section 40)

Sent: 12 September 2017 11:44

To: Redacted (Section 40)

Cc: Redacted (Section 40)

Subject: ACTION: HL 1509

Redacted (Section 40) – one for you.

Deadline 13th @18.00

HL1509: whether, during his recent visit to Libya, the Fore...

The following Alerts exist for this PQ: - (see the highlighted fields below)

PQ Alerts

Questioner

Lord Alton of Liverpool

Redacted (Section 40)

Preamble

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Question

whether, during his recent visit to Libya, the Foreign Secretary discussed reports that the Libyan Coastguard threatened and fired upon search and rescue vessels.

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