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## **Government welcomes Basque MP to Gibraltar**

The Chief Minister Fabian Picardo and the Deputy Chief Minister Dr Joseph Garcia this afternoon held a friendly and positive meeting with the Leader of the Basque Group (EAJ-PNV) in the Spanish Parliament Aitor Esteban.

This is Mr Esteban's first visit to Gibraltar.

A number of possible areas of cooperation between Gibraltar and the Basque Country were discussed including on economic matters.

It was agreed that the meeting would be followed up with further contact between the two sides.