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Meetings: Agenda setting



Useful Phrases

On the agenda today
OK everybody, thanks for coming
Just a couple of things on the agenda
If we could go through them in order
Right then... let's get down to business
First of all
Secondly
And finally
Let's keep this meeting fairly brief
Any other business

Transcript

Clip 1

Sarah: Right then, Alex, let's get down to business. On the agenda today for our public relations meeting are the research project, the launch of the website, the timeline for press releases, and the executary of the year award. Are you quite happy with those points?

Alex: Yeah, that's fine. If you could go through them in order, that'd be great.

Clip 2

Alex: OK everybody, thanks for coming. Let's keep this meeting fairly brief, really just a couple of things on the agenda. First of all, as you can see, the news on the book relaunch; and secondly, the office move; and finally, we will have a little bit of time for any other business.