

QUIZ

NICOLA STURGEON'S SPEECH

Watch the video and complete the text below.

In her speech, Nicola Sturgeon, the Scottish First Minister, spoke about the relationship between 1. _____ in the past and now. She started by saying that the Witchcraft Act, dating from 2. _____, had led to more than 3. _____ people being executed, most of them women, for the crime of being a 4. _____. At the time, she said, women could not even speak as 5. _____ in a court.

She said there was currently a petition before the Scottish Parliament calling for a 6. _____ for the victims of the act which would require the parliament to 7. _____. She herself extended a formal posthumous 8. _____ to them.



Answers : 1. misogyny - 2. 1563 - 3. 4000 - 4. witch - 5. witnesses - 6. pardon - 7. legislate - 8. apology.