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UK PM HOPEFUL SPARKS ANGER WITH JIBE AT SCOTTISH LEADER

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Scotlands ruling nationalists on Tuesday (2 August) angrily rounded on British Conservative frontrunner Liz Truss after she accused their leader Nicola Sturgeon of being a pro-independence attention seeker.

The foreign secretarys provocative remarks came as her Tory leadership race against Rishi Sunak tightened.

Previous polling had put Truss ahead of Sunak by more than 20 points among Conservative members. But according to a new poll reported by The Times on Tuesday, her lead has narrowed to just five points: 48-43 percent.

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