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JOINT NATURE CONSERVATION COMMITTEE

**AMENDMENTS TO THE MINUTES OF THE FIFTY-FOURTH MEETING OF THE
JOINT NATURE CONSERVATION COMMITTEE, HELD ON 20 MARCH 2002**

- 3.2 Third line, second sentence change to read: 'Peat cutting would stop immediately at Wedholme Flow, Thorne Moor, and within two years at Hatfield Moor.'
- 4.4 ii. Add at the end of the paragraph: "the Committee expressed concern at any loss of an overall UK perspective on the development of the definitions of "favourable conservation status" and urged that this matter should continue to be given as high a priority as possible within the scaled-down budget."
- 5.4 vi Line 2: Should read 'sources of funding' insert 'for' the JNCC'
- 6.5 ii. Add at end of paragraph 'and not undermined'
- 6.5 iv Add new roman numeral: The Committee noted that the model for JNCC as a 'company limited by guarantee' would need to be refined to remove the ambiguity about who would be members and directors in the proposed new structure. SNH noted that it would need further clarification as to why the other incorporated public sector model was not, in fact, an NDPB by another name.
- 7.2 ii Add at end of paragraph: 'and further work in the JNCC on this issue should therefore be restricted accordingly'
- 9.4 Add further sentence on the end: 'Designation, in itself would do little to protect marine biodiversity, and it is difficult to take forward designation until there was greater clarity on what protection mechanisms might be available within the Marine Natura sites. The designation process and scale of sites should therefore be tailored to the appropriate protection mechanism, set within a greater clarification of the needs of marine ecosystem level conservation.'
- 15.2 Change first line to read: 'The possibility of initiating workshops or seminars involving the Committee'