

Agenda

17th Meeting of The UK Biodiversity Research Advisory Group

23rd June 2011

Location: Defra, Nobel House, London, and by video conference.

Start time 11:00

- 11:00** 1. Biodiversity Strategies;
- Country Biodiversity Strategies updates incl. England Natural Environment White paper **Paper BRAG 17.1 White paper for info.**

- 11:40** 2. International activity;
- EU Biodiversity Strategy, EPBRS, KNEU & SPIRAL
 - IPBES (workshop held 5th July)

- 12:00** 3. UK NEA launch

- 12:10** 4. BES - BRAG special session 13th Sept 2011 Sheffield. **Paper BRAG 17.2**

- 12:20** 5. Potential future work;
- Report on ongoing Biodiversity Research from different funders
 - Green infrastructure

12:45 Lunch Break

- 13:30** 6. Future of BRAG – report of discussion with UKSC and LWEC

- 14:00** 7. Sub Groups;
- Reviews – draft paper for approval (previously circulated) **Paper BRAG 17.3**
 - Forestry and Woodland – **Late paper to follow, Terms of ref. – BRAG 17.4**
 - Taxonomy
 - Agriculture and Aquaculture

- 14:30** 8. Draft note of December phone conference for approval.
- Actions

- 14:45** 9. AoB;
- Date, time, place, format of next meeting.

15:00 Close of meeting