



Agenda

10th Meeting of The UK Biodiversity Research Advisory Group

Tuesday 4th December 2007
Defra, Room 501, Ergon House, London

1030 Arrival and tea/coffee

1100 Start of meeting

- 1) Welcome
- 2) Minutes of the last meeting, and matters arising **BRAG 10/1**
- 3) Knowledge Transfer / Influencing Strategy **BRAG 10/2**
- 4) Collaboration with the British Ecological Society
 - Feedback on BES Annual Meeting 2007
 - Proposal for a thematic session at the BES Annual Meeting 2008, London **BRAG 10/3**
- 5) Joint UK BRAG & BRIG Workshop on UK BAP research
- 6) EPBRS update

Report on Portuguese EPBRS meeting, 7-9th November
*Life on the Blue Planet: biodiversity research
and the new European marine policies*

- Recommendations
- Implications for UK BRAG

Slovenian EPBRS meeting, 15-17th January 2008
*Water for life: research priorities for sustaining
freshwater biodiversity*

- e-conference, 3-19th December
- UK engagement

Lunch

7) BiodivERsA project update

- UK funding
- Call for proposals

8) Report on GECC Global Biodiversity Sub-Committee activities

9) Reports from UK BRAG sub-groups

- Marine goods & services
- Policy benefit from research

BRAG 10/4

BRAG 10/5

10) Current issues / research needs of Country Biodiversity Groups

11) AOB

12) Date of next meeting