

ADVISORY PANELS ON CONSUMER PRICES - STAKEHOLDER

Agenda

20 September 2019

Boardroom, UK Statistics Authority, Drummond Gate, Pimlico, London SW1V 2QQ

Chair: Dame Kate Barker

(10:15 arrival) 10:30 – 14:00

Time	Item	Presenter & Paper	Description
10:15	Arrivals and refreshments		
10:30	Introductions, apologies and actions	Dame Kate Barker <i>Paper APCP-S(19)11 May 2019 Minutes</i>	Introduction and apologies. Cover actions from the previous meeting.
10:40	Round table discussion following the Government's response to the Lord's Economic Affairs Committee.	Dame Kate Barker <i>UKSA Statement on the future of the RPI</i>	Discuss the publication of the Government's response to the outcome of the House of Lords Economic Affairs Committee inquiry into 'Measuring inflation'.
11:30	Follow up discussion on clothing and footwear analysis.	Mr Chris Payne <i>Paper APCP-S(19)12 Clothing price relative volatility</i>	This paper follows up on the action to look in more detail at the impact of changes to the clothing price collection on the volatility of microdata.
11:50	Proposed framework for shortlisting appropriate index number methods	Miss Helen Sands <i>Paper APCP-S(19)13 Criteria for shortlisting appropriate index methods</i>	This paper seeks the Panel's views on the appropriateness of the proposed framework to assess index number methods that best meet stakeholder and user needs.
12:20	Technical Panel Updates – September	Mr Grant Fitzner	Discuss papers and outcomes of the Technical Panel held on Friday 6 September.
12:30	Price Collection Contingency post 31 October	Mr Mike Hardie <i>Paper APCP-S(19)14 Price collection in a no-deal scenario</i>	Following on from the Technical Panel, setting out ONS's plans for ongoing price collection following 31 October.
12:50	Package Holiday collections	Mr Chris Payne <i>Paper APCP-S(19)15 Update on package holidays</i>	An update on package holidays actions and proposal for future work.

13:10	Prioritising suitable categories for the inclusion of alternative data sources	Miss Helen Sands <i>Paper APCP-S(19)16 Prioritising suitable categories for the inclusion of alternative data sources</i>	This paper presents the recommended prioritisation of specific product categories to be targeted for implementation of alternative data sources.
13.30	AOB & Date of next meeting	Dame Kate Barker	Date of next meetings: 31 January 2020 1 May 2020 24 July 2020 23 October 2020
	Meeting close		