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INTERDEPARTMENTAL LIAISON GROUP ON RISK ASSESSMENT

CURRENT DEVELOPMENTS

A Paper by the Secretariat

Summary

1. This paper updates members on current developments.
2. **Withheld, exemption 2**

2nd Round Consultation on the Code of Practice for Scientific Advisory Committees

3. This document launches a second round of consultation on the content of the Government's new Code of Practice for Scientific Advisory Committees. The 1st round of consultation on the Code ran from July to December 2000. The 2nd round of consultation takes into account the lessons learned from the Phillips Inquiry into BSE, as well as comments made by consultees, (including government departments and a number of scientific advisory committees), during the first round. Members are advised to send comments to David Coles by 26 June 2001. This document was issued to ILGRA members for information on 25 April 2001.