

Minutes – Adaptation Committee

Date: 8 November 2024
Held: 1st Floor, 10 South Colonnade, Canary Wharf
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Present: Baroness Brown (Chair), Richard Betts, Ben Caldecott, Chris Evans, Michael Davies, Richard Dawson, Marina Romanello, Nathalie Seddon, Swenja Surminski.

Apologies: None.

1. Introduction, minutes of the previous meeting and conflicts of interest

The Committee approved the minutes of the previous meeting. No new conflicts of interests were raised.

The Committee welcomed two new members: Professor Chris Evans and Dr Marina Romanello.

2. Strategic adaption principles

CCC's principles for good adaptation are being updated for CCRA4. The Secretariat presented two sets of revised principles for the Committee's consideration. The Committee saw strengths and weaknesses in both sets so asked the Secretariat to return to the Committee with another iteration.

3. Technical report session: Method

The Committee discussed the methodology for the urgency scoring within the technical report.

4. Cold chain deep-dive: Decision on next steps

The Committee agreed to move forward with further structured convening to develop and evaluate adaptation proposals for the cold chain. It also agreed to take an evidenced convening approach towards a set of wider risks under the economy outcome and asked the Secretariat to work with Economy 'champions' to scope these topics out further.

5. Farmed landscapes deep-dive: Update

The Committee refine the scope of the project in order to move forward into the modelling and analysis stage. Committee agreed a final method proposal will be brought back to the Committee.

6. AOB

No additional items were raised by the Committee.