

Australian Government Statistical Forum – Agenda

9.30am – 12.30pm
Friday 29 June 2012
Archer Board Room
ABS House
45 Benjamin Way
Belconnen ACT 2617

Theme: *“Whole of government approaches to unlocking the statistical potential of public data assets”*

1. 9.30 – 9.45 *Welcome* Brian Pink
(Australian Statistician)
Acknowledgement of Country
a. Minutes from November 2011 meeting
b. Statistician’s update
2. 9.45 – 9.55 *2011 Census release: Update and key issues* Jill Charker (ABS)
3. 9.55 – 10.05 *Essential Statistical Assets for Australia: Update* Denise Carlton (ABS)
4. 10.05 – 10.30 *Statistical data integration: An update* Christine Williams (ABS)
5. 10.30 – 10.55 *DIISRTE : Improving firm level data to strengthen Australian Businesses* Jon Kendall (DIISRTE)
Tala Talgaswatta(DIISRTE)
- MORNING TEA 10.55am – 11.25am**
6. 11.25 – 11.50 *DSEWPaC, BoM: National Plan for Environmental Information* Geoff Richardson
(DSEWPaC)
Warwick McDonald (BoM)
7. 11.50 – 12.15 *Statistical Spatial Framework* Gemma Van Halderen
(ABS)
Ben Searle (ABS)
8. 12.15 – 12.20 *Around the table: Statistical matters of significance*
Briefings for information and comment
9. 12.20 – 12.25 *Other business*
10. 12.25 – 12.30 *Arrangements for next meeting – 1 November 2012*
Proposed theme “Statistical Capability and Literacy”
11. 12.30pm *Close and Lunch*

* Please see page 2 for ‘Actions arising from Previous Meetings’.

Actions arising from Previous Meetings

AGSF Meeting	Review of Actions	Assigned	Status
Nov 2011	ABS to arrange a meeting with Paul Madden (DoHA), OSP, and other interested agencies to meet to discuss opportunities for improving information leadership across the Commonwealth.	ABS	<i>TBC</i>