
Ed Humpherson, Director General for Regulation

Ian Lonsdale
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(by email)

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Dear Ian,

**ASSESSMENT OF STATISTICS FROM THE PEOPLE AND NATURE SURVEY
FOR ENGLAND AS NATIONAL STATISTICS**

Thank you for your letter of 23 June requesting the assessment of Statistics from the People and Nature Survey for England, produced by Natural England.

I welcome your endeavours to publicly demonstrate the compliance of these statistics with the Code of Practice for Statistics. I am pleased to confirm that my team will shortly be in touch with you and your team to agree the timing for this assessment.

I am copying this letter to Lindsey Clothier (Deputy Head of Profession for Statistics at the Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs).

Yours sincerely,



Ed Humpherson
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