ACSS 10th Open meeting (2 February 2023)

Agenda

- Welcome and introductions
- Declaration of interests
- Actions from the last meeting and Chairs update
- Welcome from Professor Susan Jebb, FSA Chair
- Member Bios
- Introduction to DEFRAs Social Science Expert Group
- Working group updates
- 1. Assurance
- 2. Kitchen Life 2
- 3. Economics Support
- 4. Wider Consumer Interests
 - Secretariat update
 - Update from Science Council chair
 - Analytics Unit update
 - Consumer Insights Tracker Review
 - Forward look
 - AOB
 - Close

Summary

The 10th Open Meeting of the Advisory Committee for Social Science (ACSS) included updates from: the Secretariat, on recruitment and the Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC) review; Members giving an update on their Biographies; Working Group chairs, on recent activity of current groups; and the Heads of Analytics Unit and Social Science, on key challenges

Additionally:

- Welcome from Professor Susan Jebb, Chair of Food Standards Agency
- Susan Owens and Matt Ensor introduced the DEFRA's Social Science Expert Group (SSEG)
- Professor Peter Gregory Science Council gave an update on recent Science Council activity.

Associated papers

- <u>10.1: Assurance Working Group update (item 7)</u>
- 10.2: Kitchen Life 2 Working Group update (item 7)
- 10.3: Economics Working Group update (item 7)
- <u>10.4: Wider Consumer Interests Working Group update (item 7)</u>
- 10.5: Secretariat update (item 8)
- 10.6: Analytics unit update (item 9)
- <u>10th Meeting of the Advisory Committee for Social Science (February 2023)</u> <u>Minutes</u>