

Department for Culture, Media and Sport Structural Reform Plan Monthly Implementation Update	September 2010
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(1) Actions due to be completed in September 2010

Action	Status
Lay statutory instrument to allocate 60% of Lottery funding to the arts, sport and heritage causes, and 40% to the voluntary and community sector	Not complete
Issue new policy directions to reform the Big Lottery Fund to ensure that only voluntary and community sector projects are funded and to prevent funding of politicised projects	Not complete
Identify areas for scaling back Ofcom duties	Complete
Include Ofcom measures in the Public Bodies Reform Bill	Complete
Draft terms of tender to select delivery bodies to run School Olympics	Complete

(2) Actions due to be started by end September 2010

Action	Status
Review uncommitted project budgets and all releases of contingency for value for money (end Summer 2012)	Work ongoing
Work with the Olympic Delivery Authority to ensure that the venues and infrastructure for London 2012 are delivered on time and to budget (end Summer 2012)	Work ongoing
Deliver critical security and transport services (end Summer 2012)	Work ongoing
Deliver government services covered by guarantees given to the IOC (end Summer 2012)	Work ongoing
Develop support in bidding for and staging other major sporting events (end Dec 2011)	Work ongoing
Facilitate fundraising by cultural and charitable institutions by giving them greater freedom to operate independently from government (end Nov 2011)	Work ongoing
Examine present barriers to giving and propose appropriate remedies (end Dec 2012)	Work ongoing
Commission economic analysis of options for the creation of local TV stations (end Dec 2010)	Work ongoing
Give the National Audit Office full access to the BBC's accounts (end Nov 2011)	Work ongoing

Examine barriers to new providers investing in fibre optic networks (end Oct 2010)	Work ongoing
Conduct a public consultation on access to ducts, sewers and poles that can be used to carry fibre optic cable (end Nov 2010)	Work ongoing
Work with sports to develop guidelines for entry into the competition (end Dec 2010)	Work ongoing
Determine appropriate steps to protect playing fields (end Dec 2010)	Work ongoing
Investigate how to use cash in dormant betting accounts to set up a capital fund to improve local sports facilities and support sports clubs (end Dec 2010)	Work ongoing

(3) Explanation of missed deadlines

In September 2010, DCMS missed the following deadline:

Deadline missed	Reason
Lay statutory instrument to allocate 60% of Lottery funding to the arts, sport and heritage causes, and 40% to the voluntary and community sector	The statutory instrument could not be laid this month as the House of Lords did not sit in September. The Department is ready to lay this piece of legislation as soon as the Parliamentary timetable allows.
Issue new policy directions to reform the Big Lottery Fund to ensure that only voluntary and community sector projects are funded and to prevent funding of politicised projects	DCMS has issued the policy directions in draft form, but these are currently subject to consultation. The formal policy directions will be issued in December.