

**AGGREGATES, CEMENT AND READY-MIX CONCRETE
MARKET INVESTIGATION**

Draft administrative timetable for consultation

Below is a draft administrative timetable for the aggregates, cement and ready-mix concrete market investigation which is now published for consultation. Any comments on this draft timetable should be addressed to David Fowlis, Inquiry Manager, by email at david.fowlis@cc.gsi.gov.uk or in writing to David Fowlis, Inquiry Manager, Competition Commission, Victoria House, Southampton Row, LONDON WC1B 4AD.

The deadline for comments is 7 March 2012. This draft timetable and other information about the investigation can be found on the investigation's webpage at the following address:

www.competition-commission.org.uk/our-work/aggregates-cement-ready-mix-concrete.

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*Published on [date], as required by [Rule 6](#) of the *Competition Commission Rules of Procedure*. Any revisions made to the timetable will be published on this website.

18 January 2012	Reference made by the Office of Fair Trading
January–August	Gather information, issue questionnaires, staff and members' hearings with third parties
Early March	Publish statement of issues
May	Initial main party hearings
Late May–June	Site visits
September–October	Further hearings with main parties
Early January 2013	Deadline for all parties' responses/submissions required before provisional findings
February	Notify provisional findings and possible remedies (if required)
March	Deadline for all parties' responses/submissions on provisional findings

April–May	Remedies hearing(s) (if required)
July–August	Provisional decision on remedies (if required)
September	Deadline for all parties' responses/submissions on the provisional decision on remedies
Early October	Final deadline for all parties' responses/submissions
November 2013	Publish report
17 January 2014	Statutory deadline†

†The Competition Commission has stated that it is expected that some market investigations will be completed in a shorter time.