PERMANENT SECRETARY INDIVIDUAL PERFORMANCE OBJECTIVES 2012/13

Name	Department	
Jonathan Stephens	Department for Culture Media and Sport	

1. Business delivery objectives:

a) To deliver a safe and secure Olympic and Paralympic Games within the stated 9.3bn Public Sector Funding Package (PSFP) particularly focused on:

- Management of financial position in the final stages of the programme;
- Development and implementation of C3 architecture;
- Completion of the Government's testing and exercising programme and the delivery of a final risk and readiness assessment;
- The move of the Government domain to Games time operations, including the move of all Department for Culture Media and Sport (DCMS) staff to Games time roles and the creation of cross-Whitehall teams for communications, dignitary management and the Olympic Secretariat.
- The development and deliver against Olympic Legacy plans (with a focus on sport and growth within the tourism industry, including through the Great campaign).
- The delivery of a successful London 2012 cultural festival.

Performance Measures:

- Feedback from Secretary of State (SofS), departmental ministers, No 10, Cabinet Office, Lead NED, Cabinet Secretary and Head of the Civil Service
- Governance Review
- Capability Review Self-Assessment
- National Audit Office (NAO)/Public Accounts Committee (PAC) reports on Olympic and Paralympic games.
- Institute for Government (IfG) Lessons Learned report on London 2012.
- International Olympic Committee (IOC) Assessments (for 2012 Games);
- Success against Business Plan milestones;
- Success against Legacy action plan.

Milestones:

Agree budget allocation with ministers

General:

- SofS and Non-Executive Director (NED) end year assessment: Autumn 2012.
- Governance Review: Autumn 2012.
- Capability Review: NY 2013
- People Survey: Autumn 2012.
- NAO report on Olympics and Paralympic Games expected Autumn 2012.
- Policy Priorities: SRP milestones across the year.

Olympics:

 Command Post Exercise (CPX) test events, including finalising Government ops/governance arrangements for Games

		time. Olympics: Quarterly budget reports. Olympics: PAC Autumn 2012. Olympics: Finalising Games time staf plans and move to operational Games t teams.
b)	To ensure a successful Diamond Jubilee, with oversight of the Government's involvement, bringing key partners together under necessary C3 arrangements.	
c)	To deliver against the Department's Growth priorities, and in particular:	
•	Delivering technological infrastructure – through the roll out of superfast broadband, to give the UK the best superfast network in Europe by 2015 and the successful completion of 4G Spectrum Auction to the Office of Communication's (OFCOM's) timetable; To deliver a lasting legacy from the London 2012 Olympic and Paralympic games – including through the delivery of the School Games programme and boosting Tourism. Philanthropy and commercial opportunities for the Cultural sectors.	
d)	To oversee the Government's involvement in and response to the Leveson Inquiry. Take forward recommendations as part of the delivery of a White Paper on the Communications sector by Spring 2013	

Corporate objectives:	Performance Measures:	Milestones:		
	Feedback from other Permanent Secretaries, Head of the Civil Service, Cabinet Secretary and the Minister for the Cabinet Office			
a) Deliver Departmental change programme with aim of reducing admin costs by 50% by 2014. In year, deliver final stage reduction of pay bill through voluntary redundancy (VR) or selection, secure move to new accommodation, achieve savings through application of shared services.	 Capability Review Self-Assessment Improved Staff Engagement Survey Results and CS People Survey. Arms length bodies (ALB) Advisory Board feedback. Cross Whitehall Performance statistics (correspondence/FOI/PQs etc). Departmental admin budgetary position. 	 NED end year assessment: Autumn 2012. Governance Review: Autumn 2012. Capability Review: NY 2013 People Survey: Autumn 2012. Policy Priorities: SRP milestones across the year Publication of the Civil Service Reform Action Plan Summer 2012. Delivery of reforms within the CS Reform Plan Change: Tranche 2 (VR programme/compulsory redundancy (CR) selection process) complete by Dec 2012. Secure new accommodation and review existing IT contracts by April 2013. First moves to shared services (Procurement and Human Resources services) by April 2013. 		
b) Secure the effective delivery of the agreed Efficiency and Reform action plan for DCMS	As agreed with the Cabinet Office.	As agreed with the Cabinet Office.		
c) Support reform of the wider civil service through membership of the Civil Service Board, including through the development of specific proposals around open policy making.				
d) Ensure delivery against continuing ALB Reform programme, finalise reductions in number of ALBs and implement new ALB risk management framework				

e) f)	and management agreements. Delivery of Civil Service Reform objectives	m ci	MART objectives, reflecting inisterial policies, in place for senior vil service, and cascaded below by anagers.	
C	apability building objectives:	Perfo	rmance Measures:	Milestones:
a)	Setting new vision for the future of DCMS, post-downsizing. Developing and implementing a new performance management policy, identifying the skills and capabilities needed for a leaner and more growth and economically focused Department, including through the appointment of a new Chief Economist to build skills and capability within the wider department.	 C In R C st of Q Promote m D 	apability Review Self-Assessment approved Staff Engagement Survey esults and CS People Survey. The state of	
	 Senior Civil Servants delivering against clear and measurable objectives. Radically improved performance management. 	pl de	ffective accountability mechanism in ace, ensuring senior leaders are elivering against all of their ojectives	
		w re de	nproved performance management ith managers encouraging and ewarding good performance, while ealing rigorously with poor erformers.	