



Cabinet Office

# National Information Infrastructure

## Next steps and deadlines

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# Dataset Identification

**Departments, including their arm's length bodies, will ensure that their list of unpublished datasets is comprehensive.** **March 2014**

**Departments will develop internal processes to identify unpublished datasets when they are created and ensure that they are added to the inventory on data.gov.uk** **March 2014**

**All central government departments will highlight those datasets which they must provide on a statutory basis, followed by their ALBs.** **April 2014 (Depts) Sept 2014 (ALBs)**

**All central government departments will highlight those datasets which it considers fall under their public task, followed by their ALBs.** **April 2014 (Depts) Sept 2014 (ALBs)**



# User Engagement/Reporting

**Departments will develop internal processes which ensure that data holders regularly reconsider the use cases for their data** **April 2014**

**Departments will ensure that they make public their assessment of the impact of the release of datasets** **June 2014**

**Departments will report through the Transparency Quarterly Written Ministerial Statement (QWMS) on the comprehensiveness of their unpublished dataset inventories starting with the QWMS return for quarter 4** **June 2014**

**Departments will report through the Transparency QWMS on the work they are undertaking to engage new users in helping to define further uses for their data starting with the QWMS return for quarter 4.** **June 2014**

**The Cabinet Office will work with departments, ALBs, and the Open Data User Group to develop a programme of engagement with users to encourage greater assessment of datasets** **March 2014**



# Dataset Management

**Departments will provide release dates for datasets included in the first iteration of the NII, where there are no barriers to publication, and, where there are barriers, provide an explanation for non-publication**

**March 2014**

**Departments will set out arrangements they have put in place to describe the provenance and ensure the quality and regularity of the release of data they have within the NII**

**March 2014**

**Departments should put all their datasets currently available under the Open Government Licence through the Open Data Institute's open data certification process, giving priority to the datasets included in the NII, and make the outcome available through [data.gov.uk](http://data.gov.uk)**

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