Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs

Transparency information about outside appointments or employment taken up by former members of the department at SCS1 AND SCS2 level and equivalents (including special advisers of equivalent standing) – January to June 2016

| Full name of applicant | Title of former Civil Service role | Date left/retired from the Civil Service | New appointment/employment (including when taken up) | Department's decision on application (including details of any waiting period or other conditions or restrictions applied) |
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| Dr lan Davidson | Deputy Director - Sustainable Development, Noise and Nuisance | 6 January 2016 | Self-employed, providing consultancy to non-governmental organisations, businesses and public sector bodies. Commenced – 1 st February | Application approved, subject to the following conditions: Applicant should give a written commitment to the Department that they will not make any use of privileged information, including for the purposes of lobbying, that they obtained from their role in Defra. For two years after leaving Defra, applicant must apply for permission to take up any outside appointment which meets the criteria set out in the business appointment rules. |

| Sara Eppel | Deputy Director Innovative and Sustainable Farming | 17 March 2016 | Independent Consultant (working with businesses on developing sustainability strategies and potentially participating in research contracts with partner bodies on the circular economy). Voluntary Trustee of Linking Farming and the Environment (LEAF). Member of HS2 Sustainability Panel Commenced 18 March 2016 | Application approved, subject to the following conditions: Applicant should give a written commitment to the Department that they will not make any use of privileged information, including for the purposes of lobbying, that they obtained from their role in Defra. Applicant should not become personally involved in lobbying UK Government on behalf of their new clients. Applicant will need specific approval for any individual consultancy assignments that qualifies under the Business Appointment Rules for two years after their last day of service. For two years after leaving Defra, applicant must apply for permission to take up any appointment which meets the criteria set out in the business appointment rules. |
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| Tom Holton | Director of One | 17 March 2016 | Independent consultant to | Application approved, subject to the |
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| | Business | | Government on ICT, business | following conditions: |
| | | | models, change and strategy. Deloitte Consulting. Commenced 21 March 2016 | Applicant should give a written commitment to the Department that they will not draw on (disclose or use for the benefit of themselves or the organisation to which this advice refers) any privileged information including for the purposes of lobbying, that they obtained from their role in Defra. |
| | | | | During the first 12 months in their new role at Deloitte applicant will not work on any Defra-related business including business development and delivery. |
| | | | | For two years after leaving Defra, applicant must apply for permission to take up any outside appointment which meets the criteria set out in the business appointment rules. |

| Katherine Riggs | Deputy Director of | 30 March 2016 | Director of Thames Vision - | Application approved, subject to the |
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| | Defra's Strategy Unit | | Port of London Authority | following conditions: |
| | | | Commenced 31 March 2016 | Applicant should give a written commitment to the Department that they will not make any use of privileged information, including for the purposes of lobbying, that they obtained from their role in Defra. |
| | | | | For two years after leaving Defra, applicant must apply for permission to take up any outside appointment which meets the criteria set out in the business appointment rules. |

| Jeremy Eppel | Deputy Director, International - EU Marine and International Directorate | 17 th March 2016 | Advisor on wildlife conservation, including the Global Environment Facility's Global Wildlife Programme - World Bank Commenced 15 September 2016 Advisor on the Illegal Wildlife Trade - International Sustainability Unit Commenced 1 April 2016 | foll | plication approved, subject to the owing conditions: Applicant should give a written commitment to the Department that they will not make any use of privileged information, including for the purposes of lobbying, that they obtained from their role in Defra. Applicant will need specific approval for any individual assignment that qualifies under the Business Appointment Rules for two years after their last day of service. For two years after leaving Defra, applicant must apply for permission to take up any outside appointment. |
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| Dr Ulrike Hotopp | Director for Analysis (Chief Economist) | 17 March 2016 | Chief Economist in Research and consultancy - Simetrica | Application approved, subject to the following conditions: |
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| | | | Commenced 01 April 2016 | Applicant should give a written commitment to the Department that they will not make any use of privileged information, including for the purposes of lobbying, that they obtained from their role in Defra. |
| | | | | For two years after leaving Defra, applicant must apply for permission to take up any outside appointment which meets the criteria set out in the business appointment rules. |

| Colin Church Director of 6 April 2016 Se | Self-employed independent | Application approved, subject to the |
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| Environmental Quality co | consultant, worked on contracts for: Doosan Babcock (DB) Commenced 11 April 2016 Environmental Services Association (ESA) Commenced 23 April 2016 | Application approved, subject to the following conditions: Applicant should give a written commitment to the Department that they will not make any use of privileged information, including for the purposes of lobbying, that they obtained from their role in Defra. Applicant will need specific approval for any individual assignment that qualifies under the Business Appointment Rules for two years after their last day of service. For two years after leaving Defra, applicant must apply for permission to take up any appointment which meets the criteria set out in the business appointment rules. |

| Ian Mitchell | Deputy Director - Strategy, EU and International Analysis | 21 May 2016 | Independent consultancy providing Economic advice and analysis at Institute for Fiscal Studies, OECD; World Bank; UN Food and Ag Organisation (FAO) and Chatham House; Overseas Development Institute Commenced 23 May 2016 | Application approved, subject to the following conditions: Applicant should give a written commitment to the Department that they will not make any use of privileged information, including for the purposes of lobbying, that they obtained from their role in Defra. Applicant should not become personally involved in lobbying UK Government on behalf of their new clients Applicant will need specific approval for any individual consultancy assignments that qualifies under the Business Appointment Rules for two years after their last day of service. |
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