NUTS2 expert steering group meeting

2nd meeting regarding updates to the UK report on 'Regional emissions from biofuels cultivation' (NUTS2 report)

1-3 pm, 28 November 2012 - GMH, London

Agenda

- Discussion of changes to the NUTS2 report Harley Stoddart, HGCA
- Next steps Keeley Bignal, DfT

Aims of the meeting

- To review the updates to the original NUTS2 report:
 - Do they accurately reflect the changes made?
 - is the methodology used clear and transparent?
- To reach consensus on the NUTS2 report revisions
- To agree any next steps to take this forward

Aims of the NUTS2 report

- Note that the aims of any revisions to the NUTS2 report are NOT to achieve NUTS2 compliance in all regions but to accurately reflect the GHG emissions from cultivation of biofuel feedstocks by region, in the UK
- The NUTS2 report must meet the requirements of the Renewable Energy Directive and the European Commission
- The report must be independent and based on scientifically robust data and methodology
- The revised report should have stakeholder buyin