

<b>Department for Environment and Rural Affairs</b> <b>Structural Reform Plan Monthly Implementation Update</b>	<b>July 2010</b>
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**(1) Actions due to be completed by end of July 2010**

<b>Action</b>	<b>Status</b>
Establish task force to conduct industry-led review of existing farm regulations	Complete

**(2) Actions due to be started by end July 2010**

<b>Action</b>	<b>Status</b>
Use voluntary approach to encourage food retailers and producers to provide more detail on the origins of their produce (end Dec 2010)	Work started
Develop affordable measures of support for hill farmers and affordable options for a carefully-managed and science-led policy of badger control in areas of high and persistent levels of bovine TB (end Dec 2011)	Work started
Conduct review of the Animal Welfare Act (end Dec 2010)	Work started
Implement the findings of the Pitt Review to improve our flood defences and prevent unnecessary buildings in areas of high flood risk (end May 2015)	Work started
Agree Marine Policy Statement and publish first draft cut of Marine Conservation Zones (end Apr 2011)	Work started
Agree goals for 2014/2020 and set the path towards a 'zero waste' economy through review of waste policies (end Apr 2011)	Work started
Work with HMT and DECC to investigate options available to help those in remote rural areas with the cost of fuel (end Mar 2011)	Work started
Review the governance arrangements of National Parks (end Dec 2010)	Work started
Create a new designation with CLG to protect green areas of particular importance to local communities, modelled on Sites of Special Scientific Interest (end Dec 2012)	Work started
Assess the scope for actions to offset the impact of development on biodiversity (end Apr 2011)	Work started
Explore voluntary responsibility deal on waste among businesses (end Apr 2011)	Work started
Repeal Climate Change Act powers for household charging (end Nov 2011)	Work started
Review current targets on waste reduction in government buildings (end Nov 2011)	Work started
Revise guidance on Impact Assessments, the Green Book and other policy appraisal guidance to take account of sustainability and the value of nature (end Jul 2011)	Work started



Work with DCMS to deliver universal broadband at speeds of 2mbps and stimulate private sector investment to deliver the best superfast broadband network in Europe by 2015 (end May 2015)	Work started
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**(3) Explanation of missed deadlines**

As of July 2010, the Department has not missed any deadlines in its Structural Reform Plan.

