



Department for Culture, Media and Sport  
 FoI Response



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**MEETINGS WITH OUTSIDE INTEREST GROUPS: (22 Jan 09 to 27 Feb 09)**

<b>Minister: Andy Burnham, Secretary of State</b>		
<b>Date of meeting</b>	<b>Outside interest group or body met</b>	<b>Reason for meeting</b>
22/01/09	Channel 5	Introductory meeting with new Chief Executive and to discuss Digital Britain report
26/01/09	Vienna City Administration	Cultural Cooperation
28/01/09	Newcastle Eagles, Cheshire Jets, and the British Basketball League	General discussion on basketball
28/01/09	Arqiva	Introductory meeting
02/02/09	Everyman Theatre	Discussion of the Theatre's development plans.
03/02/09	Working Title Films	Introductory Meeting
03/02/09	Lawn Tennis Association, Rugby Football Union, England & Wales Cricket Board, Rugby Football League, Football Association	To discuss cross-sport issues
04/02/09	Fifa	England 2018 World Cup Bid and general football matters
05/02/09	UEFA	General catch-up
09/02/09	National Campaign for the Arts	Discuss Issues facing the Arts sector
10/2/09	Royal Opera House (ROH) and Manchester City Council	ROH Manchester Proposal

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11/02/09	National Museum Directors' Conference	Issues currently facing the museum sector
24/02/09	British Board of Film Classification	To discuss video games classification
25/02/09	Freesat	Introductory meeting
25/02/09	National Consumer Council	To discuss intellectual property and copyright
27/02/09	Premier League	General catch-up

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26 Jan 09	Wine & Spirit Trade Association British Beer & Pub Assoc	Licensing Act 2003
27 Jan 09	England World Cup 2018	Introductory meeting
27 Jan 09	England 2018 Ltd Executive Board Meeting	England 2018 Bid
29 Jan 09	British Horseracing Association	To discuss general racing issues
29 Jan 09	Special Olympics 2009	To discuss Special Olympics GB National Summer Games and a lasting legacy for people with learning difficulties.
29 Jan 09	Premier League	Catch up meeting
29 Jan 09	Manchester Metropolitan University	To discuss Physical Education in schools

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24 Feb 09	Rugby Football League Rugby Football Union CCPR British Horseracing Premier League The FA Sports Rights Owner Coalition	Sports Betting
9 Feb 09	Partnerships with Schools (PfS)	To discuss PfS's work around PE and Sport
10 Feb 09	Women's Sport and Fitness Foundation	To discuss the work of the Commission on the Future of Women's Sports
10 Feb 09	Labrokes Betfair	To discuss Sports betting
11 Feb 09	Business in Sport and Leisure Ltd	Catch up
23 Feb 09	Local Authorities Coordinators of Regulatory Services (LACORS) Local Government Association	To discuss live music exemptions
23 Feb 09	Ofwat	To discuss water charges in sports clubs
23 Feb 09	Business in Sport and Leisure Ltd	To discuss Research, education and Treatment levy
24 Feb 09	England 2018 Executive Board mtg	England 2018 Bid
25 Feb 09	Listed Events Panel Chair	To discuss listed events
25 Feb 09	Sporting Equals	To discuss Sporting Equals new vision

**Minister: Barbara Follett , Minister for Culture, Creative Industries and Tourism**

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27 Jan 09	Commissioner for Looted Art in Europe (CLAE)	Introductory meeting
28 January	Tourism and Disability Meeting, various stakeholders	To discuss tourism and disability
10 Feb 09	Heritage Link	Introductory meeting
11 Feb 09	Somerset House	Introductory meeting
23 Feb 09	Film London	Introductory meeting – tourism & film
23 Feb 09	Musician Union	Introductory meeting
25 Feb 09	UKinbound	Intro meeting
25 February	Tourism Alliance	Regular meeting