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# HORIZON WORKING GROUP: FIRST MEETING TUESDAY 8 JUNE 1999.

#### **Issue**

1. A letter to each of the four proposed members of your Horizon Working Group setting the scene for a first meeting at 10.30 a.m. on Tuesday 8 June, and including draft terms of reference for discussion at that meeting.

#### Recommendation

2. That you write in terms of the attached drafts.

#### **Timing**

3. The letters need to be faxed to each of the four recipients as early as possible on Monday (7 June).

### **Background**

4. I have spoken to each of the four organisations to forewarn them of Tuesday's meeting and to fill in some of the background to the setting up of your Working Group. I have also told them that you would be writing on Monday with a formal invitation, some indication of how you saw the remit of the Group together with suggested terms of reference. All agree that the Group could serve a positive and useful purpose and are pleased to have the opportunity to participate.

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