

Pre-Release Access to Official Statistics:

NFI Woodland Ecological Condition: Statistics

Introduction

The Forestry Commission's arrangements for pre-release access to Official Statistics are described in a Pre-Release Access Statement¹.

This document supplements the statement by giving the names and/or job titles of all those persons to whom pre-release access has been granted to Woodland Ecological Condition: Statistics. The report covers 2 forms of pre-release access:

- Part 1 provides a list of those receiving pre-release access to the Official Statistics in their final form for briefing purposes. As this is a release covering the UK, the pre-release access period is **limited to 24 hours**.
- Part 2 provides a list of those receiving pre-release access for quality assurance purposes.

The justification for giving advance access to each listed recipient will be available on request.

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¹ www.forestresearch.gov.uk/tools-and-resources/statistics/about-our-statistics/code-of-practice/pre-release-access-to-official-statistics/

Part 1: Pre-release access to final form (24 hours)

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Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs:

- Adam Bealby, Deputy Head of Communications (Forestry Commission)
- Nick Barter, Deputy Director Climate and Forestry
- Stephen Penlington, Head of Forestry team
- Britta Guerke, Senior Communications Officer
- Phoebe Brown, Communications Officer
- Sara Rajeswaran, Secretary of State's Policy Special Adviser
- Robert Rams, Secretary of State's Media Special Adviser

Forestry Commission:

- Richard Greenhouse, Director of Forest Services
- Steph Rhodes, Head of Policy and Strategy, Forest Services
- Ian Gambles, Chief Executive
- David Cross, Head of Evidence
- Mark Broadmeadow, Principal Adviser Climate Change

Forestry England:

- John Stride, Policy and Insight Manager
- Andrew Stringer, Head of Planning and Environment

Scottish Government:

- Hugh Dignon, Wildlife Management
- Bridget Campbell, Director for Environment and Forestry
- Fergus Ewing MSP, Cabinet Secretary for the Rural Economy
- Kate Higgins, Special Advisor Rural Economy and Connectivity
- Mairi Gougeon MSP, Minister for Rural Affairs and the Natural Environment
- Roseanna Cunningham MSP, Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate Change and Land Reform

Scottish Forestry:

- Helen Sellars, Head of Sustainable Forest Management
- David Signorini, Chief Executive
- Ian Donaldson, Head of Policy
- Alan Hampson, Head of Standards, Evidence and Expertise

Pre-Release Access - Recipients

Forestry and Land Scotland:

- Simon Hodgson, Chief Executive
- Michael Hymers, Director of Corporate Services
- Chris Nixon, Environment Manager
- Jo Ellis, Head of Planning and Environment
- Paul Munro, Media Manager
- Gwen Hamilton, FLS Head of Communications
- Luke Boddice, SG Communications

Welsh Government:

- PS Minister for the Environment, Energy and Rural Affairs
- Elizabeth Lyon, Head of Forest Resources Policy
- Jon Travis, Head of Forestry Reform
- Stuart Neil, Head of Agriculture and Rural Affairs Statistics
- Heledd Owen, Head of Communication
- Huw Jenkins, Communications Senior Information Officer
- Lesley Griffiths AM, Minister for Energy, Environment and Rural Affairs
- Daniel Butler, Special Advisor – Energy, International Affairs, Environment, Rural Affairs
- Fiona McFarlane, Sustainable Forest Management and Environment Policy Advisor
- Ceri Witchard, Deputy Director of Land, Nature and Forestry

NRW:

- Ruth Jenkins, Head of Natural Resource Management Policy

Natural England:

- Adrian Jowitt, Principal Advisor Forest Policy
- Tim Hill, Chief Scientist Natural England
- Jonathan Burney, Executive, Government Advice

Forest Research:

- James Pendlebury, Chief Executive
- Clare Parker, Head of Communications

Part 2: Pre-release access for quality assurance

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Natural England:

- Emma Goldberg, Forestry and Woodland Senior Specialist

Forestry Commission:

- Neil Riddle, Principle Advisor – natural environment
- Rebecca Isted, Policy and Advice

Scottish Forestry:

- Colin Edwards, Environment Policy Advisor

Natural Resource Wales

- Chris Tucker, Specialist Advisor: Technical Forestry (Resilience)

Welsh Government:

- Fiona McFarlane, Sustainable Forest Management and Environment Policy Advisor
- Stephanie Howarth, Head of Economy, Skills and Natural Resources Statistics

Scottish Natural Heritage:

- Jeanette Hall, Woodland Ecologist
- David O'Brien, Policy and Advice Manager
- Tom Mckenna, Economist

Forest Research:

- James Pendlebury, Chief Executive
- Chris Quine, Chief Scientist
- Nicol Sinclair, Head of Inventory, Forecasting & Operational Support (IFOS)
- Clare Parker, Head of Communications