



**Agenda**  
for the  
**Bracken Control meeting**  
to be held at  
**Studio 136, The Crowne Plaza Hotel, Manchester Airport M90 3NS**  
on  
**Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> September 2017**  
**11:00 – 15:00**

		<u><b>Lead</b></u>
1	Welcome & Introduction	BCG
2	Asulam	
	2.1 Emergency Authorisation for 2018	BCG
	2.2 Chemicals Regulation Directorate view	CRD
	2.3 Update on Asulam registration	UPL
	2.4 Sales of Asulam in 2017	UPL
3	Aerial Application of Asulam	
	3.1 Feedback on the 2017 season	Aerial Contractors
	3.2 Plans for the 2018 season	UPL
	3.3 Other aerial application issues	
4	Alternatives to Asulam	
	4.1 Summary of trials and recommendations	Roy Brown
5	Future grant aid support for bracken control	George Winn-Darley
6	Other Bracken Management Issues	BCG
	6.1 Drones for survey and/or chemical application	
	6.2 Other uses of bracken	
7	Secondary treatment of Bracken	BCG
8	BCG Administration	BCG
	8.1 Minutes of the Meeting held on 29 <sup>th</sup> September 2016 and matters arising	
9	Any other business	BCG
10	Date of Next Meeting	BCG

## Notes

- 1 **Refreshments:** Tea/Coffee available from 10.30am, light buffet lunch provided
- 2 **Directions** to [Crowne Plaza Manchester Airport](#), Ringway Road, Manchester M90 3NS. Free parking is available but to avoid fines, on arrival drivers need to log their car registration onto a tablet either at Reception or at the Meeting Room.

### 3 Attendance

3.1 All sector representatives have been invited to attend.

3.2 Current attendance list:

Name		Organisation
Roy	Brown	R&D Applied Biology
Steve	Clarke	NE
Simon	Francis	UPL
Lawrence	Furmidge	CRD
Simon	Gibson-Poole	SRUC
Amanda	Hutcheson	Scottish Water
Dafydd	Jarrett	NFU
Robert	Patton	PDG Helicopters
Stuart	Ring	Heli-lift Services
Roderick	Robinson	Landward
Andrew	Speed	UPL
Guy	Stevens	Skyhook Helicopters
Simon	Thorp	Heather Trust
Tracey	Ware	HSE
Ian	Willoughby	FC
Joy	Wilson	CRD
George	Winn-Darley	Moorland Association