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Report and Recommendations of the Review Group appointed by Council



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Review Timetable

- **Direction of BSBI for next 5-10 years ?**
- **Consultation paper issued Sept 2016**
- **Review Group apptd by Council**
- **Responses by end Nov 2016**
- **Digested and discussed Dec-Jan**
- **Report drafted Jan-Feb**
- **Debated by Council 22nd Feb**
- **To be addressed by Trustees 5th April**

44 recommendations

11 key ones -

- **Clarify remits and levels of authority**
- **Merge main publications into one**
- **Issue revised VCR guidelines**
- **Seek funding for data services**
- **Second data officer**

- **Education to have same status as science & data**
- **Education/training officer**
- **Retain 3 Standing & 3 Country Comms**
- **Foster links to complementary organisations**
- **Revise BSBI Strategy**
- **Action Plan on funding**

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