CAIRNGORMS LOCAL OUTDOOR ACCESS FORUM

Title	Joint meeting of the National and Local Access Forums
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Purpose	Annex I describes the topics that were discussed at the joint meeting and provides some commentary on the issues raised under each topic. The meeting was held in Edinburgh on 2 October.

Advice Sought

No specific advice is sought but members may wish to raise any points from the items discussed with either Nic Coles or Bob Grant, who were both in attendance on the day.

Background

An annual meeting between the National Access Forum and representatives from each of the Local Access Forums has been taking place since the access legislation came into effect in 2005. The purpose of the meeting is a sharing of ideas and knowledge and various formats have been tried to best achieve this over the years.

This year, the morning was taken up with a series of presentations and the afternoon given over to 4 workshops. The meeting concluded with a question and answer session.

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