**Response to call for evidence: review of economic statistics**

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| **For what purposes do you use economic statistics produced by ONS?**  |  |

Instructions for responding to the call for evidence

We would appreciate it if all responses had a summary of the key response points.

**Summary of key response points:**

Summary of call for evidence questions

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| Section 1 questions: assessing the UKs future statistics needs | **Response** |
| Q1. From your perspective, what are the most significant outstanding challenges in measuring the modern economy? |  |
| Q2. Are there features of the modern economy that you think are not well captured in the present range of UK economic statistics? |  |
| Q3. What do you think should be the two or three top statistical priorities for measuring the modern economy? |  |
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| **Section 2 questions:** ***effectiveness of ONS in delivering those statistics.*** |  |
| Q4. What are the strengths and weaknesses in ONS’s current ability to deliver the existing range of economic statistics? |  |
| Q5. What steps do you think are needed for ONS to have the capability to collect, analyse and disseminate the relevant data to meet future statistics needs? |  |
| *Q6.* What scope is there for ONS to exploit emerging data-science techniques in meeting future statistics needs? |  |
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| **Section 3 questions:** **the g*overnance framework*** |  |
| Q7. Do you think the current governance arrangements for economic statistics support their effective production? |  |
| Q8. Are there changes to those arrangements that you would advocate?  |  |

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| If there is anything else regarding the terms of reference of the review which you would like to feedback please do so here: |

The closing date for responses is **25 September 2015**. Responses received after this date may not be read. Call for evidence responses should be returned to:

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