

**SOUTH EAST ENGLAND COUNCILS  
EXECUTIVE MEETING**

Friday 24 March 2017 at **1.30pm**

~~Venue: Engineering Employers' Federation,  
Broadway House, Tothill Street, London SW1H 9NQ.~~



**NB: Meeting cancelled and replaced by SEEC-DCLG Housing White Paper consultation event on 6 March 2017**

Member views on the attached outline consultation responses for agenda items 1-3 are requested by email. Also included is a short activity report with links to recent work.

**AGENDA**

1. KEY TOPIC  
**Housing White Paper 'Fixing Our Broken Housing Market': SEEC's response**  
Following the SEEC-DCLG white paper consultation event on 6 March with Housing Minister Gavin Barwell, views are invited on key points to include in SEEC's formal response. Suggestions for member consideration are set out in the attached paper. Input is requested by 21 April to meet the consultation deadline.
2. **Industrial Strategy consultation: SEEC input**  
Member comments are invited by 6 April on key points to reflect in a SEEC consultation response (see attached suggestions).
3. **Heathrow expansion: Draft Airports National Policy Statement**  
Request for member views by 18 May on whether SEEC should respond, focusing on infrastructure investment needed to support any airport expansion (see attached suggestions).
4. **Latest SEEC activity report and updates:**
  - a) Infrastructure funding proposals: Potential for a post-Budget letter to David Gauke, Chief Secretary to the Treasury
  - b) Input to National Infrastructure Commission's call for evidence
  - c) Transport Select Committee follow up to meeting: Response to Airports National Policy Statement Inquiry
  - d) Housing delivery workshop on 27 January and launch of SEEC report 'Unlock the Housing Blockers'
  - e) Wider South East Political Steering Group, March 2017
  - f) SEEC Budget 2017-18 and projected outcome for 2016-17
  - g) SEEC member briefing on Spring Budget 2017
5. **Future meeting dates**
  - 23 June 2017 – SEEC AGM and All-Member meeting
  - 13 October 2017 – SEEC Executive (shared date with SESL)
  - 24 November 2017 – Wider South East Summit
  - 1 December 2017 – SEEC Executive (shared date with SESL)

**NB: Minutes of 1.12.16.** As the March 2017 Executive meeting has been cancelled, the minutes of SEEC Executive on 1 December 2016 and matters arising will be taken instead at the SEEC AGM on 23 June 2017.