

Agenda Item 4: Work Plan

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IPSASB Meeting

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Objectives of Agenda Item (paras. 1 & 2)

- Receive Technical Director's Report
- Discuss work plan on Day One and reconsider on Day Four in light of meeting developments

Summary of Changes Agreed at June Meeting (para. 3)

- Indication of expected involvement of CAG by project
- New section to indicate expected consultations during next year

Additional Change since June 2017 Meeting (para. 4)

- Publication of 2017 Handbook delayed until September 2017
 - Partly attributable to IFAC reviewing procedures for all Standard-setting boards with aim of introducing electronic handbooks

Pressures on Respondents (paras. 5 and 6)

- Previously highlighted and may continue through 2018
- Better communication with respondents
 - Indicating to respondents expected consultation periods in Work Plan
 - Additional outreach material
 - Providing preliminary view to enable focus on key issues

Further Issues relating to Public Sector Measurement and Infrastructure

Public Sector Measurement

- Misalignment of timetable for measurement with project brief
 - Project Brief indicates CP approval in June 2018 with separate ED on Transaction Costs for March 2018 approval
 - Work Plan projects December 2017 (unrealistic)
- Some uncertainty whether separate CP stage necessary for main project stream

Infrastructure Assets

- Not fully clear whether CP Stage necessary

Assess position on Day Four



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