

PFA 8.1: Research and Development Working Group

Draft terms of reference

1. Consider and advise on research needs in relation to Scottish freshwater fisheries.
2. Undertake a formal research prioritisation exercise on an annual basis, seeking input from the wider representative groups and honing these down to key priorities.
3. Coordinate with the Marine Scotland research programme and with other organisations operating in the freshwater environment, including SNH and SEPA.
4. Publish an annual report.