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# UK Resilience Forum second meeting: 3 May 2022

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# Meeting held in-person and by video conference - Tuesday 03 May 2022

Representatives from the following organisations were in attendance:

- National Emergencies Trust
- Maritime and Coastguard Agency
- National Rail
- Voluntary and Community Sector Emergencies Partnership
- National Police Chief's Council
- Citizens Advice
- Ministry of Defence
- Government Office for Science
- National Fire Chief's Council
- Environment Agency
- NHS England
- Northern Ireland Executive

Invited organisations unable to attend:

- Scottish Government
- Welsh Government
- Electronic Communications Resilience and Response Group
- Energy Networks Association
- Confederation of British Industry
- Equality and Human Rights Commission
- SOLACE
- Thames Water

The Minister for Cabinet Office, the Rt. Hon. Michael Ellis QC MP (Chair) welcomed attendees to the second meeting of the UK Resilience Forum (UKRF).

The Chair reiterated the purpose of the forum as an important advisory body to improve the UK's resilience through strengthened relationships and increased collaboration; to act as a conduit for raising awareness around risk; to inform policy development; and align efforts.

The Cabinet Office Civil Contingencies Secretariat (CCS) presented a Risk Horizon Scan, highlighting risks for the coming months including; ongoing impacts of COVID-19 and emerging hepatitis cases; protest activity; potential disruption at borders; industrial action or commercial failure; and the possibility of severe weather.