

ASSOCIATION OF GOVERNMENT VETERINARIANS

Note of Action Points

Council Teleconference 1630 28th May 2015

Present

Linda Smith	Chair
Adrienne Conroy	
Kate Sharpe	
Levon Stephan	
Fred Landeg	

Apologies

Anne-Marie McDowall
Cath McVicar

The Way Forward

Action

1. The meeting was not quorate as six Council members are required. There was a general discussion on the future of the Association given the declining membership and subscription income. A membership and subscription analysis has been posted on the [AGV website](#).
2. **LeS** asked about communication with members and how many were actively employed by Government. **FL** noted the Association’s membership records were very poor, no longer current and with sparse contact details for members. He could only rely on the bank statements and email addresses. He agreed to undertake an analysis and this is attached to this note. **FL**
3. While efforts had been made to increase membership so far these had not been successful with little or no management support for membership of the Association.
4. It was agreed that for the time being the Association would continue its activities with current representatives attending BVA/VPVA business meetings etc. **FL** said that reasonable travel expenses could be paid to Council Members for attendance at such meetings. **FL**
5. **LiS** agreed to speak with Edwina Thirkell, Robert Huey, Nigel Gibbens and Simon Hall on the future viability of the Association. **LiS**
6. Decisions on the AGM would be held off until the next Council meeting.

Date of Next Meeting

7. The next Council Telecon would be held during the week commencing **22 June 2015**. Council members' availability would be sought.

Action

FL

Fred Landeg

29 May 2015

Membership Analysis – Contact Details



See also Subscription Analysis to 2015 on the [AGV website](#).