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Study Visit

Tuesday 13 December 2016 – Thursday 15 December 2016

Date: Tuesday 13 December 2016

Venue: Gambling Commission, Victoria Square House, Victoria Square, Birmingham

Agenda: 12:00 **Lunch**

13:00 **Welcome and Introductions**

Overview of Keep Crime out of Sport
Cassandra Fernandes, Senior Project Officer - Project Keep Crime Out of Sport

Each jurisdiction to give brief overview of progress against national platform and any specific areas of interest

Plans for the Study Visit
Lorraine Pearman, Betting Integrity Project Lead

14:00 **Overview of Britain's National Platform**

Including lessons learned, challenges and future plans

15:00 **How the national platform works in practice**

16:00 **Break**

16:15 **Round up of the afternoon, actions and outputs**

16:45 **Close of afternoon.**

Check into hotel: [Cophthorne Hotel](#), Paradise Circus, Birmingham B3 3HJ

Evening

Meet in hotel reception at 18:00. Travel to St Andrews Stadium.

Birmingham City FC vs Ipswich Town FC

Includes:

- Two course gourmet menu
- Half-time tea and coffee

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Date: **Wednesday 14 December 2016**
Venue: William Hill, St. John's Centre, 31 Merrion Street, Leeds LS2 8LQ
Timings 7:00am - Meet in hotel reception. Transportation to Leeds.

Group 1

Morning: Three Study Visit representatives will be invited to attend the Sports Betting Integrity Forum Meeting

Afternoon: A presentation from betting operator William Hill and a tour of the operations based at Merrion Street

Group 2

Morning: A presentation from betting operator William Hill and a tour of the operations based at Merrion Street

Afternoon: Meeting the Sports Betting Integrity Forum Members which will include presentations on:

- The Sports and Sports Betting Integrity Action Plan - TBC
- Education – Getting the Message Across – Simon Barker, Professional Players Federation
- National Crime Agency – Ingrid Leonard – National Crime Agency

Travel back to Birmingham approx. 15:30 – 16:00

Evening

Meet in hotel reception at 20:00

Dinner at 20:30 [Asha's Restaurant](#)
12 – 22 Newhall Street
Birmingham

Date: **Thursday 15 December 2016**
Venue: Gambling Commission, Victoria Square House, Victoria Square, Birmingham
Agenda:
9:00 **Welcome back to Commission**
9:10 **Discussion on outcomes, questions etc from previous day**
9:45 **Case Study**
Detailed walkthrough of a case study handled by Britain's national platform
12:30 **Lunch**
13:30 **Round up of the Study Visit**
14:00 **Event close**

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