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**MIGRATION ADVISORY COMMITTEE – WORK-PLAN 2007/09**

Year	Activity	To be completed by
2007/08	<p data-bbox="405 421 1098 488">Report on what data on labour market shortages exists, relevant to the role of the MAC.</p> <p data-bbox="405 528 1129 707">Report on where there are gaps in the current data required by the MAC in relation to labour market shortages, how those data gaps should be filled, and how the MAC proposes to report on shortage occupations in the meantime.</p>	<p data-bbox="1193 421 1358 454">January 08</p> <p data-bbox="1193 528 1369 562">February 08</p>
2008/09	<p data-bbox="405 748 1161 1039">Produce shortage occupation lists for UK and Scotland only (Tier 2 skilled employment). These lists comprise occupations where, in the MAC's view, there are shortages which can sensibly be filled by enabling employers to recruit migrants. Occupations must be clearly specified so as to be easily understood by employers, prospective migrants and those operating the immigration system.</p> <p data-bbox="405 1079 1161 1223">Review, if required, the Government's assessment of the demand for and desirability of low-skilled schemes for Romanians and Bulgarians to work in construction, social care and hospitality.</p>	<p data-bbox="1193 748 1310 781">June 08</p> <p data-bbox="1193 1079 1401 1113">September 08</p>