

## **Policy Committee: Terms of reference**

## Role

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veterinary professional issues.

- Horizon scan for the emerging topics of interest to the profession.
- Recommend and approve policy, lobbying and campaigning priorities for each Association year.
- Advise on responses to consultations from government, the devolved administrations, and other key stakeholders.

## **Authority and accountability**

2. Policy Committee is a committee of BVA Council, and the chair is accountable to Council for the

## Conduct

- 11. All members of the committee are expected to contribute to the work of the committee, both in and outside meetings, including reading papers, and contributing to discussions in person and via the online workspace.
- 12. All members of the committee are expected to work collaboratively with members of BVA Officers and staff, communicate with courtesy, uphold our values, and challenge attitudes and behaviours which are not consistent with those values.
- **13.** Members should not represent or present BVA's views on any policy matters to the media or government without prior approval.

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