

# Reducing regulation: Consultation for businesses and civil society organisations

## About this consultation

The NAO is consulting businesses and civil society organisations (CSOs) on the Better Regulation Executive's approach to reducing regulatory burdens.

In detail, we are interested in your insights and evidence on the following:

1. What, in your experience, are the costs and benefits of regulations?
2. How does regulation impact on your organisation?
3. Do departments and regulators consult your organisation when measuring and evaluating the actual impact of regulation?

The consultation will inform an ongoing study into [reducing regulation](#).

We will use your input to

- better understand the nature of regulatory burden and benefits experienced by businesses and CSOs
- evaluate the Better Regulation Executive's approach to achieving the business impact target
- highlight any issues and concerns, and
- illustrate departmental good practice examples with regards to processes to achieve the business impact target.

## How to contribute

Please send written submissions responding to the questions above to [reducingregulation@nao.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:reducingregulation@nao.gsi.gov.uk).

The closing date for submissions is COB Friday, 11 March 2016.

If you have any queries about this consultation, please also email [reducingregulation@nao.gsi.gov.uk](mailto:reducingregulation@nao.gsi.gov.uk).