

Financial Services Consumer Panel

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Dear Ben

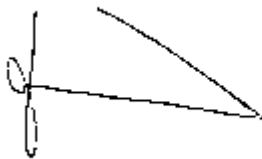
Consultation Paper: ABI Life & Pension Fund Sectors

Thank you for sending the Consumer Panel a copy of your recent consultation paper A Review of the ABI Life & Pension Fund Sectors.

We were interested to see the ABI's proposals in this important area. We do welcome initiatives which provide consumers with better, more consistent information, particularly where comparisons are being made, and hope that the measures you are proposing to the industry will, indeed, meet these consumer objectives. While we are not in a position to respond to the detailed industry-focused questions in the Paper, we trust that you will keep these consumer objectives in mind when drafting your final ABI Sector proposals.

We would be interested in seeing a copy of the final document once available.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'John Howard', with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

John Howard
Chairman
Financial Services Consumer Panel