

Demographics User Group Conference
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DUG Award 2008

“Better information from government”
The House of Commons Treasury Committee,
chaired by Michael Fallon MP
For its report “Counting the Population”

“DUG’s Conference Board is very pleased that the Committee chose to investigate an issue which is of great interest to many people and organisations. Its radical yet constructive recommendations for:

- better updated population estimates, including short-term migrants, and daytime populations
- more use being made of government administrative files for statistical purposes and the creation of a definitive national address file

..... all chime with the Group’s objective of getting better current information”

The Award was accepted on behalf of the Committee by John Pullinger, Librarian and Director General of Information Services at the House of Commons. See photo overleaf...

