

## List of national functions, as provided by CLG at 1.12.09

This table only identifies specific activities that might be feasible to transfer to the LGA Group. Other activities, such as procurement and contract management, the Fire Service College, national resilience would be best carried out by Government or an agency commissioned to do so.

Function	Current location	Does this need a national approach?	Could the LGA Group carry out this function?
<b>National standards for training and leadership</b>			
Setting of training standards and primary interface with sector skills council	CLG	Yes - aids interoperability	Yes
High potential development schemes	CLG	Yes, but could be locally developed	Yes
Role maps	Unclear	Yes, links to terms and conditions	Yes
Setting and monitoring of development standards (Integrated Personal Development System)	CLG	Yes, as currently set up, linked to terms and conditions	Yes
<b>Research and statistics</b>			
Operational research (FRS practice)	CLG	Yes – linked to FRS improvement	Yes
Social research (community fire safety and HR)	CLG	Yes - linked to FRS improvement	Yes
Economic analysis branch	CLG	Yes	Yes
Fire statistics	CLG	Yes	Yes
Incident recording system – national data gathering system	CLG	Yes	Yes
Emergency response modelling	CLG	Yes – linked to FRS improvement	Yes
<b>Fire accident prevention and inspection</b>			
National campaigns e.g. Fire Kills	CLG	Yes	Yes
<b>Equality and diversity</b>			
E&D programme board	CLG	Yes – supports FRS	Yes

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E&D guidance	CLG	Yes – supports FRS improvement	Yes
<b>Technical guidance and standards</b>			
Operational guidance and doctrine,	CLG	Yes – supports FRS improvement, Health & Safety	Yes
EU/UK standards	CLG	Yes	Yes
IRMP guidance	CLG	Yes	Yes