

**National Trust**  
**Response via email**

“We welcome the strengthening of the section on impartiality, particularly section 2.2.7 which states that "false equivalence does not achieve impartiality" and says that views that are less supported by evidence - such as climate denial - do not need to be given similar prominence to those that are better evidenced.

“We are concerned that on page 187, "the extent of climate change" is given as an example of a contested issue. The extent of climate change has very broad scientific consensus, as consistently attested to by the work of the IPCC.

“We would support a specific section on the climate and nature crises to guide reporting on these issues, and we also offer our expertise within the Trust to work with the BBC on this guidance.”