

TELEMATICS DATA STANDARDS TIMELINE

15 March 2012

Wunelli announces a meeting to get insurer support and suggestions for common data standards

23 April 2012

Wunelli cancels the meeting, saying that enough insurers have already pledged support

2 May 2012

Wunelli and Gocompare plan to relaunch their telematics comparison site Comparethebox, to enable policyholders to compare rival telematics propositions for the first time. Common standards are vital to comparing telematics policies like-for-like

9 May 2012

Former transport secretary Justine Greening (pictured) promises to work with insurers to “take full advantage” of telematics



30 June 2012

ABI telematics committee has its first meeting, with data standards high on the agenda

19 July 2012

Polaris promises to publish a set of data standards by December 2012, according to Wunelli chairman Sandy Dunn (pictured)



21 July 2012

Biba research shows that sales of telematics policies have increased five-fold in the past two years and will increase to about 500,000 in the next two years

21 December 2012

EU gender ruling comes into force. Telematics use by consumers is predicted to spike, making the debate on standards even more important