

## **BIS Green Paper- "Financing a Private Sector Recovery"**

Hugh Savill, acting Director of Investment Affairs at the ABI, said:

“There are some potentially useful ideas here. Institutional investors have already done much to help finance UK firms, through rights issues or the bond market. Insurers are especially keen for long term instruments to match their liabilities, such as annuities. However such opportunities must be commercially viable and ABI members and other investors will use that criteria when responding to today’s Green paper.”