Table 7.1 Government departments and responsibility for planning and other related functions, 1997 – 2011.

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| ***Dates*** | ***Transport*** | ***Planning, housing, local government and the regions*** | ***Environment*** | ***Other related functions*** |
| Prior to 1997 | Department of Transport  (DoT) | Department of the Environment  (DoE) | |  |
| 1997 - 2001 | Department of Environment, Transport and the Regions  (DETR) | | |  |
| 2001 – 2002 | Department for Transport, Local Government and the Regions  (DTLR) | | Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs  (DEFRA) | |
| 2002 – 2006 | Department for Transport  (DfT) | Office of the Deputy Prime Minister \*  (ODPM) | Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs  (DEFRA) | |
| 2006 – 2008 | Department for Transport  (DfT) | Department for Communities and Local Government  (CLG) | Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs  (DEFRA) | |
| 2008 – 2011 | Department for Transport  (DfT) | Department for Communities and Local Government  (CLG) | Department for Environment, Food and Rural Affairs  (DEFRA) | Department for Energy and Climate Change  (DECC) |

\* Note that the ODPM remained as a government department for the Deputy Prime Minister (John Prescott) but with no departmental functions from 2006 – 2008.