

Meeting Note

Note of the Review Committee meeting on Monday 4 March, 2013 09:30 – 14:00
Richmond House, 79 Whitehall, London, SW1A 2NS

Members

Professor Sir Bruce Keogh (Chair)
Catherine Kydd
Dr Rosemary Leonard
Vivienne Parry
Professor Shirley Pearce
Sir Ian Kennedy
Simon Withey

Apologies

Dr Andrew Vallance-Owen
Trish Halpin

DH Secretariat

Dr Dorian Kennedy
Jude Thorling
Dr Stephen Mulgrew
Nicholas Langman
Nicholas Brooks

Guests

Kate Thomas (DH Press office)
Carolyn Armstrong (DH Press office)
Gerard Hetherington (DH)

1. Introduction and Meeting Overview

The Chair welcomed members to the seventh Review Committee meeting and explained that this meeting would focus on discussing the final recommendations and report. Apologies had been received from Dr Andrew Vallance-Owen and Trish Halpin.

The Chair reminded the Committee of the code of conduct and asked that members declare any changes to their previously stated interests at the relevant time during the meeting.

The Review Committee were content with the note of the February Committee meeting.

2 Draft final report

Guests present: none

The Chair stressed the importance that the report and recommendations are the committee's, and that this is not a generic DH report.

The secretariat led the Review Committee through the draft final report.

3 Options paper

The secretariat led the Review Committee through the options paper on the provision of non-surgical cosmetic interventions.

4. Media Handling

Guests present: Kate Thomas and Carolyn Armstrong (DH Press office)

DH press office spoke to the Review Committee on the arrangements for the report's publication.

5. Any Other Business

The date of the final meeting will be Wednesday 10 April 2013.

6. Close

The Chair thanked the Review Committee members for their continued hard work on the Review.