

# **Meeting of the Secretary of State for Transport's Honorary Medical Advisory Panel on driving and disorders of the nervous system**

**To be held on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2018**

## **AGENDA**

### **SECTION A**

1. Apologies for absence
2. Chairman's remarks
3. Minutes of meeting of 12<sup>TH</sup> October 2017 and matters arising
4. Recruitment update

### **SECTION B – ongoing discussion topics**

5. Professor Duncan's study on post epilepsy surgery risk of seizures
6. Provoked seizures (discrepancy between timescales for head injury and intracranial surgery/stroke induced seizures)
7. Are multiple seizures within the permitted time period all considered as provoked? If not, would this be epilepsy?
8. Provoked seizures – should there sometimes be a period of driving cessation?
9. Epilepsy algorithm- AED withdrawal risk calculator
10. When group 1 driving is not permitted for 3/12 after head injury, for how long should drivers cease driving group 2 vehicles?
11. Standards for cough presyncope?

## **Section C**

### New discussion Topics

12. Carcinoid tumours in the lung
13. Medical standard for drivers with Cataplexy
14. Intracranial haemorrhage from AVM
15. Parkinson's disease; Article sent from Panel member about longitudinal decline of driving safety in PD. Are J licences still considered appropriate?

## **Section D**

16. Appeals data
17. Cases for discussion
18. Any other business
19. Date and time of next meeting