

# **HEALTH AND SAFETY COMMITTEE**

### 30 April 2013

## MINUTES

PRESENT:

Ms Lesley Alterman Ms Sue Chick Ms Angela Graneek Mr Peter Kelly Mr Richard Marguerie Mr Nigel Waugh Mr Rex Knight *(Convenor)* Miss Candice Ashmore-Harris Mr Mike Cresswell Mr Andrew Grainger Mr Doug King Mr Paul Stirk

Mrs Sonia Buckingham Ms Jillian Deans Mr Matthew Grigson Mr David Ladd Mr Ian Watts

In attendance:

Mr Simon Cooke for Minute 27; Mr Adrian Deeny for Minute 26; Dr Mike Lockyer for Minute 29; Ms Sian Minett for Minute 25; Mr Steve Tidmarsh for Minute 24.

Apologies for absence were received from Ms Jenny Head

Key to abbreviations

HSC Health and Safety Committee UCU University College Union **RPO** Radiation Protection Officer

#### Noted:

23B.1 At the last meeting of the HSC it was agreed to set up a small working group, chaired by the Head of Safety, to review the mechanisms by which safety communications may be improved. The membership has been agreed and the first meeting has been arranged for 3<sup>rd</sup> June 2013.

#### 23C Management of Change [HSC Min. 20C.1, 29.01.13]

#### Noted:

23C.1 At the last meeting it was agreed that the Head of Safety would examine the potential for including specific reference in UCL documentation for the need to consider safety as part of the management responsibilities when considering significant change. It is

### Reported:

28.2 Safety Services will be conducting a baseline inspection of designated department space. The head of Occupational Health Services reported that whilst there had been good progress in improvement of control of exposure to allergens in the Biological