



EDINBURGH BRANCH

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Minutes of 285th Branch Meeting.

Venue: Rivers Suite, Craiglockhart Campus, Napier University, Edinburgh EH14 1DJ,

Date: 11th January 2018 at 14:00.

Sederunt:

L Young (M)	S. Heesom (M)	D Johnson (M)	S Crawford (M)	R Doyle (M)
S Watson (M)	K O'Donnel (M)	G Farquharson (M)	S Read (G)	S Hughes (M)
G Marshall (M)	R McLean (M)	K Drum (M)	A Gregory (M)	D Duff (M)
B Williams (M)	R Walker (M)	A Bell (M)	V Stewart (M)	S Daly (M)
D Watkins (G)	J Groon (m)	N Doherty (M)	L Murray (M)	C Sharp (M)
A James (M)	G MacGregor (M)	S Scott (M)	B Oye (G)	

Total: 29 26 Members 3 Guests

Apologies: R. Balfry, H. Pearson, M Grimmer, S. McCann A McLeod, J Guilfoyle, K Donnell, M Cowie, L McLeod.

Chair:

Liz Young stood in for the Chair and opened the meeting, she explained where the fire exits were and reminded the audience to switch off their mobiles and print their names on the sederunt. She also asked if there were any new members or guests. Liz also reminded members to remember to complete their CPD, and to make sure they had parked in 'Car Park A' so as not to receive a parking fine.

1 Minutes of previous meetings

Minutes of the meeting and previous meetings can be found at: <https://www.iosh.co.uk/Membership/Our-membership-network/Our-Branched/Edinburgh-branch/Branch-minutes.aspx>

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The Chair asked if anything was unclear or if further information was needed. With no further matters arising, the accuracy of Minutes was proposed by David Johnson and seconded by Rachael Doyle.

2 Correspondence and Group Reports

2.1 Groups:

Roddy Mclean chair of the construction Specialist Group, reported that the group now has a web page, <http://www.scottishconstructionsafetygroup.org.uk/> and that all those with an interest in the construction industry are welcome to attend any of the meetings. The group meets in the Hillcroft Hotel in Whitburn on the second last Thursday of the month. A meeting programme has been set through to May. The next meeting on 18th January is a legal update by Pinsent Mason.

2.2 Mentor:

Liz Young reminded all to ensure that they record their CPD, Liz also reminded the members that there is a CPD/IPD workshop scheduled for the 8th March starting at 10:00 to 12:00, but in the meantime to contact her should anyone have any problems or queries.



3 External Events:

3.1 Other IOSH Branch Events

Other IOSH Branch events are open to all IOSH Members, further details can be found via the IOSH website at the following link; <https://www.iosh.co.uk/Events.aspx>

3.2 Renewable UK

Renewable UK's 14th international premier event dedicated to Health and Safety for the renewable energy sector. Is being held on Wednesday 24th January 2018 at the SEC in Glasgow. See the R-UK web site for further details; <http://events.renewableuk.com/hs18>

4 Members Items

4.1 Job Spot

No new positions have been communicated to Branch at present.

4.2 *From the floor?* (Members opportunity to share problems & ideas with their peers)

- No items were raised.

5 Main Talk:

- Traffic Management, Driver Assessment, Grey Fleet and Fitness to Drive.
By SCORSA

6 Date of next meetings:

Evening Meeting on 8th February at 18:00

- **HSE Update:**
Chris Steel - HM Specialist Inspector of Health and Safety (Noise & Vibration)

Liz Young CFIOSH
Branch Mentor

Simon Heesom CMIOSH
Branch Secretary