

Summary	
Meeting	Standards Committee
Date	4 August 2022
Title	Standards Committee Minutes
Summary	Minutes of Standards Committee held remotely on 4 August 2022, at 16:00
Decision required	None
Attachments	Classified appendix
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Classifications		
Document	Classification¹	Rationales²
Minutes	Unclassified	n/a
Classified appendix (secure docs version)	Confidential	1, 2 and 3

1 Classifications explained

Unclassified	Papers will be published on the internet and recipients may share them and discuss them freely with anyone. This may include papers marked 'Draft'.
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2 Classification rationales

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Members:	L Allum	
	B Andrews-Jones	
	L Belton	Chair
	M Castle	
	D Chambers	
	O Cook	
	M Gardiner	
	C-L McLaughlan	
	W Wilkinson	
	C Roberts	
In attendance:	E C Ferguson	Registrar
	M Donald	RCVS Council Observer
	G Kingswell	Head of Legal Services (Standards)
	B Jinks	Standards and Advisory Lead
	V Price	Senior Standards and Advice Officer
	I Holloway	Director of Communications

AI 1 Apologies for absence and declarations of interest

1. Apologies were received from C Roberts
2. There were no new declarations of interest.

AI 2 'Under care' consultation – confidential

3. The minutes of this agenda item can be found in the confidential annex paragraphs 1-7.