

Summary	
Meeting	Standards Committee
Date	31 March 2022
Title	Standards Committee Minutes
Summary	<p>Minutes of Standards Committee held remotely on Thursday 31st March 2022, 5pm</p> <p>The Committee's attention is drawn to paragraphs 1 – 13 in the classified appendix.</p>
Decisions required	None
Attachments	Classified appendix
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Classifications		
Document	Classification¹	Rationales²
Paper	Unclassified	n/a
Classified appendix	Confidential	1, 2 and 3

1Classifications explained

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2Classification rationales

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Minutes of the Standards Committee Meeting held remotely on Thursday 31 March 2022 at 5pm

Members:	Dr M A Donald	Chair
	Dr L Allum	
	Ms B Andrews-Jones	
	Miss L Belton	Vice Chair
	Mr M Castle	
	Dr D Chambers	
	Dr M Gardiner	
	Ms C-L McLaughlan	
	Prof T Parkin	
	Mrs C Roberts	
In attendance:	Ms E C Ferguson	Registrar
	Ms L Lockett	CEO
	Ms G Kingswell	Head of Legal Services (Standards)
	Ms B Jinks	Standards and Advisory Lead
	Dr N Sampson	Head of Veterinary and Meat Hygiene Policy, FSA
	Dr J Clark	Director of Veterinary Services, FSA
	Mr S Tunnicliffe	Operations Director, FSA
	Mr R Locker	Head of Operations, FSA

AI 1 Apologies for absence and declarations of interest

1. The Chair welcomed the CEO to the meeting as an observer.
2. Apologies were received from Mrs Roberts and Prof Parkin.

AI 2(a) Under Care and out of hours – confidential

3. Confidential information is available in the classified appendix at paragraphs 1-8

AI 3(a) FSA update on temporary registered novice OV's (TRNOV's) in the meat hygiene sector – confidential

4. Confidential information is available in the classified appendix paragraphs 9-13.