



**Scientific Committee on Emerging and Newly Identified Health Risks**

**SCENIHR**

**Working Group Meeting on Metal-on-metal Hip Implants**

**Venue: Brussels, rue Belliard 232 (Breydel 4), meeting room 02/17A**

**Date: 12 December 2012, starting at 10:00**

**Minutes**

**1. WELCOME AND APOLOGIES**

The Chair welcomed the participants and announced the apologies (DW, EP, SS)

**2. ADOPTION OF THE AGENDA**

Adopted.

**3. TOUR DE TABLE**

Each participant introduced himself/herself.

**4. DECLARATION OF INTERESTS ON MATTERS ON THE AGENDA**

No new declarations were made.

**5. PRESENTATION BY DR. DAVID LANGTON (AFTER 1 PM)**

**6. DISCUSSION ON THE OPINION**

A possible answer to the first question was discussed.

A structure for a Table of Contents (Scientific Rationale only) was considered as a starting point (assignments indicated by the initials of each contributor).

The organization of a workshop for industry, stakeholders and government/commission officials should be considered before the public consultation of the preliminary opinion. This workshop could address especially the gaps of knowledge and funding for future research.

The WG selected CVDS to be the rapporteur.

**7. ANY OTHER BUSINESS**

Contributions are to be sent to VG by 15 January 2013.