

## Scientific Committee on Emerging and Newly Identified Health Risks SCENIHR

# 10<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the Working Group on Surgical Meshes (Audio) 15 October 2015 <u>Minutes</u>

### 1. Welcome and apologies

The Chair welcomed the participants and presented the apologies received (4).

#### 2. Adoption of the agenda

The agenda was adopted as presented.

#### 3. Declaration of interests on matters on the agenda

The Chair requested to participants to declare any interest on the matters on the agenda. No declarations of any conflict of interest were made by participants.

#### 4. Discussion on the preliminary opinion

The group started analysing and discussing the comments received during the public consultation and drafted replies. Another meeting will be needed to complete the analysis of all comments received and reply to them. An updated version of the document with replies agreed will be circulated among the members by the rapporteurs. The final opinion should be sent to the SCENIHR for adoption by written procedure by end of November.

#### 5. Timeline

- An updated version of the opinion will be circulated during week 44;
- The final opinion should be sent to the SCENIHR for adoption by written procedure by 24/11.

#### 6. Any Other Business

Next audio meetings will be organized on 03/11 and during week 46 or 47.