

HUMAN FERTILISATION & EMBRYOLOGY AUTHORITY

ETHICS & LAW ADVISORY COMMITTEE

SUMMARY OF MATTERS ARISING

MATTERS ARISING FROM MEETING OF 20 October 2009				
Date arising	Action	Responsibility	Due Date	Progress to Date
20/10/2009	The Secretariat to continue to monitor the study on 'Trans-national Reproduction' and report the findings back to the Committee.	DH	Ongoing	The Secretariat will continue to monitor.
07/07/2009	The Secretariat to monitor the study presented at ESHRE 2009 on fertility treatment abroad and report the findings back to the Committee.	DH/JA	Ongoing	The Secretariat will continue to monitor.
20/10/2009	The Secretary to update the Ethics, Law and Social Science Briefing to be integrated into the February 2010 Horizon Scanning meeting	JA	24/02/2010	Key issues identified in the Ethics, Law and Social Science Briefing have been integrated into the draft plan for the Ethics and Law Horizon Scanning meeting. Please note the update paper provided for the December ELAC meeting.
20/10/2009	For JA to draft and circulate draft guidance on PGD with non-disclosure and to take a paper to the January Authority.	JA	15/12/2009 (draft guidance) 20/01/2010 (Authority meeting)	Following ELAC recommendations and feedback from the sector, draft guidance is provided for the December ELAC meeting for decision.

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20/10/2009	For DH to incorporate the recommendations on intra-family gamete and embryo donation, to be taken to the Authority in December.	DH	09/12/2009	DH incorporated the recommendations on intra-family gamete and embryo donation into the wider paper which was presented to the Authority on 9 th December 2009.
20/10/2009	For the executive and the two ELAC members to plan the horizon scanning event and bring an update to the Committee at the December meeting.	Executive: JA/DH/AT Members: DA/EH	09/12/2009	An update paper will be provided to ELAC at the December.