Scientific and Clinical Advances Advisory Committee Summary of Matters Arising

Matters arising from meeting of 12th June 2013				
Date arising	Action	Responsibi lity	Due Date	Progress to Date
30/06/2012 6.6	Update literature review on alternative methods to derive ES cells with references provided by committee members and present it to Research Licence Committee, along with SCAAC's view.	Anna Rajakumar	The most recent update to literatureto be passed to the July Licence Committee	Presented to the Licence Committee in July 2013.
14/12/2011- 4.7 29/02/2012- 2.4 20/06/2012- 8.3 20/06/2013- 7.1	Draft a guidance document on the regulation of animals containing human material to be developed with the Home Office, Department of Health and the Academy of Medical Sciences.	Anna Rajakumar	ongoing	The document has been restructured since SCAAC last reviewed this in June 2013. The document is near completion and due to be finalised in the coming months. It has been circulated for sight at the October 2013.
20/06/2012 7.6	It was agreed that SNP array usage may result in the generation of more information about additional diseases, traits and predispositions and therefore the production and disclosure of this information must be considered. It was agreed that the ethical implications should be considered by ESC.	TBC	ongoing	This piece of work has been added to the forward work plan for consideration by the relevant committee as soon as possible. The paper is provisionally scheduled to go to the next Ethics and Standards Committee, once a date has been confirmed. A draft may be circulated to SCAAC for comment before going to ESC.