

Minutes

Cannabis Coordination Meeting No. 32

Date	Tuesday 8 March 2022
Time	1000-1130hrs
Location	Microsoft Teams

Attendees			
Name	Role		
Dan Houseago (DH)	Group Director, Economy		
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Paul McCabe (PMcC)	Chief Pharmacist, Health & Social Services		

NB. Minutes are drawn up using the Freedom of information Law (Jersey) 2011 as a guide: Part A (Non-exempt) Part B (Exempt): Part 4 Absolutely exempt information Art. 25 Personal information Part 5 Qualified exempt information Art. 31 Advice by the Bailiff or a Law Officer

Art. 33 Commercial interests

Art. 35 Formulation and development of policies

Part A (Non-Exempt)

1. Welcome, introductions and apologies

- 1.1 Apologies were made on behalf of
- 1.2 explained that going forward the agenda will now be split into Part A (non-exempt) and Part B (exempt) items. and DH confirmed this reflected input from on approach to structuring minutes and meetings.
- 1.3 Recurring items going forward in addition to the standard approval of previous meeting minutes will include a communications update, a talk through the delivery plan for this workstream and a roundtable update at the end of the meeting.

2. Approve key points from meeting of Monday 15 November 2021

- 2.1 recapped the actions of the meeting of 15 November 2021.
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 2.3 The Economic and International Affairs Scrutiny Panel have now received all minutes from the first meeting of this Steering group in July 2019 up to November 2021: an FOI with a similar request has also been responded to. The FOI team carried out the redactions.
- 2.4 DH has highlighted to that scrutiny criteria is not clear.
- 2.5 DH said Senator Farnham's view is to publish the minutes online.2.6

3. Gift and Hospitality register

3.1 explained that this item is to ensure that all departments represented here have their own Gift & Hospitality register. The Department for the Economy has their own register which they are obliged to check and feed into on a monthly basis. It was ascertained that represented Departments have their own G&H register.

4. Communications update

4.1 highlighted four areas of communication:-

- i. Communications to Scrutiny
- ii. Putting information relating to Government's roles and responsibilities in the cannabis industry on gov.je
- iii. Media release and report in response to Scrutiny will be published shortly. The Ministerial Support Unit issued a media release in response to scrutiny panel hearings.
- iv. to circulate the response to Scrutiny for internal officer input.

4.2 can communicate clarity of the structure that we have within Government in terms of promoting a strategy: a strategy has to be the next step and then the website would merely indicate presence of the industry in Jersey.