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Legislation and Regulatory Subcommittee Minutes

Date: 11 September 2024

Time: 12:45 – 2:45 pm

Location: CPE Office, Hosier Lane, London

Members present: Ian Cubbin (Chair), Stephen Thomas, Peter Cattee, Marc Donovan, Gary Warner.

In attendance: David Broome, Jas Heer, Ifti Khan, Niamh McMillan, Gordon Hockey (Director, Legal), Katrina Worthington (Regulations Officer), Rob Thomas (Funding Delivery Manager), Alisha Khatri (Dispensing and Supply Pharmacist).

Apologies: Apologies were received from Lindsey Fairbrother.

Conflicts of interest: No additional conflicts declared.

Minutes of the last meeting: The subcommittee approved the meeting minutes for June 2024.

Matters arising: There was none.

Note: David Broome asked Committee members to review the Community Pharmacy England accounts for approval tomorrow.

Actions from the last meeting: The actions were reviewed and it was noted that they had been carried out.

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Royal Mail Workshop

14. The report was noted.

Discretionary Payment Claim

15. The report was noted with disappointment that NHSE and ICBs either decide not to or cannot under the PLPS regulations pay such claims.

AOB

11. It was asked whether there had been any progress on the issue of paid tokens sent to NHSBSA. The Director, Legal said he would check on this issue.

12. [Two PLPS regulatory amendments were laid over the summer – see our article at <https://cpe.org.uk/our-news/amendments-to-pharmacy-regulations-to-introduce-opd-10-dispensing/> These introduce the new OPD changes, enable vaccine supply to pharmacies from central NHS stock, and the market entry change sought to remove references from the fitness information requirements.]



13. [NHS England will announce (on Thursday) that notifications of unplanned temporary suspensions of services (closures) can be made via the MYS portal. Using the MYS portal is optional at this stage and pharmacy owners can continue to use Annex 18 of the Pharmacy Manual or their existing process to notify the ICB of a closure.]