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AFAG 30 Agenda

**HEALTH AND SAFETY EXECUTIVE
AGRICULTURE INDUSTRY ADVISORY COMMITTEE
ARBORICULTURE AND FORESTRY ADVISORY GROUP**

AGENDA

The 30th meeting will be held on Tuesday 16 May 2017 at Lantra House, Stoneleigh Park, Coventry, Warks, CV8 2LG. 11.00 hrs -16.00hrs. Coffee from 10.30.

- 1 Welcome / Apologies for absence**
- 2 Action Notes of 29th meeting (14 November 2016) – Chair**
- 3 Matters arising**
- 4 AFAG plan of work (AFAG paper 30 01) - Chair**
- 5 Future role of AFAG (AFAG 30 02) - Chair**
- 6 Accident to Alexander Kirkley - A Turner/M Lennon
S Richmond/H Fairley**
- 7 FISA update (including WGs) - G Clark**
- 8 European Chainsaw Certificates - A Turner/R Jackson**
- 9 Reducing accidents involving chainsaws - I Sutherland**
- 10 AFAG project - Felling large trees - All**
- Lunch**
- 11 UAG Update - M Lennon**
- update on utility contractors scheme, chair and AFAG attendance
- 12 Progress with AFAG projects and future work - Project Leaders**
 - Safe Treework near overhead power lines - M Lennon
 - Small scale self-propelled machinery in forestry - A Turner/M Lennon
 - Felling Large trees - Agenda item
 - Promotion of Occupational Health Services - I Sutherland
- 13 Communications**
 - FISA/AFAG/AA leaflets update - S Richmond/G Clarke
 - AA Technical Guides - S Richmond

14 Standards Work

- Verbal update on current work

- **Sector**

15 Members Items

- LOLER examinations - SWL references. - **ML**
- Review / update of G55/3 - industry input. - **ML**
- BALI NHSS 18 industry recognition of competence - **ML**

16 Any Other Business

17 Date and venue of next meeting

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