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**AGENDA ITEM:** Health and Safety Requirements – Quarterly Report on Compliance

**ITEM IDENTIFICATION: 6**

Professor Hildyard has undertaken to provide the Business Board with quarterly reports on the University's compliance with legal requirements in the area of Health and Safety.

**JURISDICTIONAL INFORMATION:**

The Business Board is responsible for monitoring health and safety compliance.

**GOVERNANCE PATH:**

1. Business Board (September 22, 2014)

**PREVIOUS ACTION TAKEN:**

Not applicable.

**HIGHLIGHTS:**

**1. Ontario Ministry of Labour (MOL) Visits and Orders**

During this reporting period (July 1 – September 30, 2014) the Ministry of Labour visited the University of Toronto Scarborough once and two orders, relating to incompatible chemical storage and potential mould exposure, were issued and complied with.

Two employee critical injuries were reported to the Ministry of Labour, no orders issued.

- 1) An employee slipped on a wet floor, hit his head, and lost consciousness. The employee was stripping wax from the floor.
- 2) While crossing a street with the right of way, an employee was hit by a car, resulting in a broken wrist and elbow.

## 2. Regulatory Visits

No regulatory visits during this period.

## 3. Incidents Abroad Relating to Students

The Safety Abroad Office has noted two incidents relating to students abroad from July 1 to September 30, 2014.

Country	Session	Student category	Type of Travel	Nature of Incident
South Africa	Summer	Graduate	Internship	Exposure to chemicals
Germany	Summer	Graduate	Exchange	The student was hit by a car while riding his bicycle

## 4. Summary

In summary, based on the reports I have received through the operation of our occupational health and safety policy, and to the best of my knowledge, the University is in compliance with its health and safety obligations.

### FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS:

Not applicable.