FOR INFORMATION

TO: Business Board

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DATE: September 19 for October 7, 2019

AGENDA ITEM: 7

ITEM IDENTIFICATION:

Health and Safety Requirements: Quarterly Report on Compliance

JURISDICTIONAL INFORMATION:

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

Professor Hannah-Moffat 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.

GOVERNANCE PATH:

1. Business Board [for information] (October 7, 2019)

PREVIOUS ACTION TAKEN:

Not applicable.

HIGHLIGHTS:

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

During this reporting period there were two visits from the MOL at St George regarding a follow-up visit related to an employee injury and an anonymous complaint. No orders issued.
2. Regulatory Visits

During this reporting period there was one regulatory visit by Transport Canada, who do routine inspections regarding management of hazardous materials related to both bio/rad lab waste. They conducted an inspection of Transportation of Dangerous Goods at the St George Campus on September 9, 2019. Report not yet received.

3. Incidents Abroad Relating to Students

During this reporting period there was one incident which occurred during the summer semester involving 6 undergraduate students evacuated from Rwanda due to an Ebola risk.

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.

RECOMMENDATION:

For information.

DOCUMENTATION PROVIDED:

- none