

Minutes of the Joint Consultative Committee

1.30pm, Tuesday 16th December 2008, Room 408, Edinburgh Building.

Present

Management

Shirley Atkinson	Deputy Vice Chancellor (Resources) (Chair)
John Pacey	University Secretary
Gary Holmes	Dean of the Faculty of Education and Society
Andrea Walters	Acting Director of HR
Iain Clark	Head of Employee Relations
Vikki Hewison	HR Assistant

Staff Side

William Hunter	UCU
Jeff Fowler	UCU
Steve Storey	UCU
Iain Strachan	UNISON
Jessica Borley	UNISON

8. Any other Business

8.3 Catering Review

UNISON queried the catering review and it was confirmed that the Director of Facilities would provide an update on security and catering at the January JCC meeting. UNISON advised they were opposed to privatisation. UCU queried the University's position regarding staff transfers in the public sector. The Acting Director of HR explained that these were not compulsory to the University and that the University would make an informed decision before confirming their position.