Minutes

Date Thursday, 10/06/2021
Time 10:00 AM
To Sub-Standing Committee
At Virtual, MS Teams
Subject AWERB Sub-Standing Committee
Our Ref Doc.UBS.AWERB.10.06.21

Present: [providing written feedback].

Scientists in attendance for 1a) & 1b) core

Apologies:

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1. Project Licences
   a) Amendment: [providing written feedback]

The committee discussed the following:
- Further information around single housing in the Project Harms section.
- The inclusion of specific refinements in the Refinement section.
- The removal of references to the University of Cambridge from the Refinement section.
- The recommendation that the researcher reviews Protocol 10 to ensure they are not limiting themselves.
- Further clarification required in regards to specific procedures mentioned in Protocol 10 and 13.
- The recommendation that the applicant reviews the steps listed in Protocol 12 to ensure they are correct.
- Further information required in regards to specific procedures planned in Protocol 13 step 2.
- The amendment of anaesthetic codes listed in Protocol 13, step 2.
- Further information around the surgeries planned on Protocol 13.
- Further clarification around the use of L-name on Protocol 13.

The committee agreed changes were needed before a draft is submitted to the Home Office.

b) Amendment: [providing written feedback]

The committee discussed the following:
- Further information around where animals will be sourced in Protocol 12.
- Further information around the competency and training within the group in regards to specific procedures planned.
- The recommendation that the researcher reviews the steps in Protocol 12 to ensure they are correct.
• Further information in the expected adverse effects and endpoints sections of the Non-Technical Summary.
• The recommendation that the group engage with the staff at the AMB who have experience with maintaining specific mouse strains.

The committee agreed minor changes were needed before a draft is submitted to the Home Office.

2. Minutes of the last meeting N/A

3. Minutes of AWERB Standing Committee meeting N/A

4. Retrospective Reviews [RR]
   None

5. Any other business
   None

6. Date of next meeting: 23/06/21