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USC received it also. I guess he feels that us, Health and Safety people, have plenty of time on our hands to deal gathering paperwork for him, so he can make his points. I for one would like to see a change in the NIH guidelines dealing with the minutes. Maybe we should work towards that change.

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Evidently, there on a roll with the fax machine

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Dear List Readers,

I would like to find out if the request for IBC minutes from the Sunshine Project that we received by fax last night was directed to the UConn Health Center alone, or if others have received this. Perhaps, in the spirit of transparency, Mr. Hammond would care to respond.

Thank you

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Mr. Hammond,

Attached are the IBC minutes from the University of S. Carolina.

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Biosafety Committee Meeting
September 21, 2005
Benson School Conference Room

Attending:
Bob Beatty
Joy Caulkins
Erin Connelly
Patty Hamilton
Paul Houlsey
Shekar Patel
Cindy Woods
Vicky Vance

Shekar called the meeting to order at 10:00 AM

Shekar reported that he called the USC Legal Department regarding the Sunshine Project. The USC Legal Department has not responded back to Shekar. Patty discussed the need for an additional committee member who is outside the USC organization. Jody Caulkin suggested that we ask Mike Lema, a professor at Midlands Tech. Cindy Woods suggested Jenny Meredith at DHEC. Jody Caulkins will contact Mike Lima about serving on the committee. Patty updated the committee on security issues. The Biosafety Committee approval process was discussed. Paul suggested the protocols that were not exempted get farmed out to each committee member through emails. Patty will send the url for the NIH guidelines to each committee member. All BL2 labs must pass a laboratory inspection and be approved by Patty Hamilton.

Adjourned 11:10

Biosafety Committee Meeting Minutes
July 7, 2004

Present:

C. Patel
B. Beattie
P. Housley
D. Zurosky
P. Hamilton

E. Connelly and T. Broudino were not present but have agreed to serve on the committee.

A discussion was held about the letter received from the Sunshine Project. Dr. Patel will respond back to the group after contacting USC legal department. We will be able to send the minutes from today and May 21, 2004 only since all previous DNA proposal oversight has been through email correspondence.

The committee was asked to look over the new biosafety manual on the website and give comments and corrections.

A discussion of this committee covering oversight of infection control and infectious waste was discussed. There is a need for an infectious disease expert on the committee. Dr. Patel will contact Dr. Fowler to ask for suggestions for membership.

Adjorn 2:15 PM