

## BRANCH MEETING MINUTES

Branch: UAE

Date: 22<sup>nd</sup> Jan, 2020

Time: 19:00 Hrs – 20:30 Hrs

Venue: International HSE Council, Dubai

Meeting No: 85

### ATTENDEES:

Name	Name	Name
Malik Mohammad Asif	Jestin Joseph	Yousaf Ali
Abdullatif Albitawi	Noor Qadeem	Mohd Jan Khattak
Haridas Palangattu Veettil	Mekail Muhammad	Syed Johar
Peter Hurley	Nilanchal Sahu	Mohammed Jabir Ahamed
Branco Dennenberg	Satish R. Kadam	Supreeth Attavar
Ahmed Abdel Kader M. Moustafa	Gurmukh Singh	Muhammad Naeem Khan
Muhammad Asad	Vyshakh B. Pillai	Asfandyar Ali Shah
Adnan Rabbani	Christian Albert Santos	Osama Alsliebg
Santhosh Balachandran	Jose Edwin Hega	Amein ayoub Sbaih
Peter Tan	Abhilash Raghavan	Igwe Henry Chukwuemeka



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M. Khalid Saifullah	Rohit Sharma	Aamir Khan
Baleshwar Singh	Sam MacPhee	Mo'men Al Ahmady
Sanjay kumar	Rajesh Radhamony	Mohamed Behery
Moamen Abdel Salam	Rishi Chaturvedi	
Leonora Franklin	Mayank Sharma	

### APOLOGIES:

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Matt Cox		

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ITEM	MEETING AGENDA	PRESENTED BY
1.	Welcome, Introductions and Housekeeping	Malik Mohammad Asif (Vice-Chairman - IIRSM UAE Branch)
2.	Presentation 1: Zero Harm by Choice	Islam Adra (Regional HSE Manager – Fortive)
3.	Networking break	
4.	Presentation 2: Language and Safety Risks	Branco Dennenberg (HSE Manager – Royal Group & IIRSM UAE Branch Officer)
5.	IIRSM Updates	Malik Mohammad Asif (Vice-Chairman – IIRSM UAE Branch)

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1.	Malik Mohammad Asif welcomed all attendees to the 85 <sup>th</sup> UAE branch meeting. He then gave the attendees a venue safety briefing, inclusive of some other specific housekeeping arrangements. Malik ran through the planned agenda, before commencing introducing the first speaker	Info Only	-
2.	<p><b>Presentation 1 – ‘Zero Harm by Choice’</b></p> <p>The first session of the evening was facilitated by Islam Adra (Regional HSE Manager – Fortive) and introduced the topic of <b>Zero Harm by Choice</b>, he explained the cost of injuries in the workplaces, showing some Case Study videos (Rio Tinto’s Journey to Zero &amp; Gilbarco’s Watershed Moment), then he started talking about Bradley Curve and how this curve model helps companies in lasting improvement in organizational safety, at last he talked about High Reliability Organisations (HROs) and its characteristics e.g. Chronic Unease, Authentic Leadership, and High Trust &amp; Low Fear.</p> <p>Throughout the presentation, Islam Adra was able to draw on his years of experience to provide some excellent examples of Zero Harm by Choice.</p> <p>This was a well-received presentation, which generated lots of discussion by those in attendance.</p>	Info Only	

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3.	<p><b>Networking Break</b></p> <p>Attendees were invited to network with others during a brief adjournment.</p>	Info Only	
4.	<p><b>Presentation 1 – ‘Language and Safety Risks’</b></p> <p>The second presentation of the evening was on the topic of <b>Language and Safety Risks</b>. This was presented by Branco Dennenberg (HSE Manager – Royal Group &amp; IIRSM UAE Branch Officer), he started to give an overview on language barriers and the impact of Illiteracy on job safety, and how to overcome language barriers, he ended his presentation emphasising on the communication and their effectiveness and the ability of the recipients to understand the messages being communicated.</p> <p>Due to the excellent delivery and examples provided, the presentation generated lots of discussion from those in attendance.</p>	Info Only	-

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5.	<p><b>IIRSM &amp; UAE Branch Update</b></p> <p>Malik Mohammad Asif (Vice-Chairman - IIRSM UAE Branch) provided the attendees with some IIRSM news and updates, such as:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Release of IIRSM's Risk Management &amp; Leadership Competency Framework</li> <li>2. New IIRSM Magazine: "The Sentinel"</li> </ol>	Info Only	-
6.	Finally, Malik thanked all for their attendance before the meeting was closed at 20:30hrs	Info Only	-

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