REPORT OF DISCUSSIONS AT THE MEETING

1 Welcome and apologies
SD welcomed everyone to the 4th meeting of the Prostate Cancer GDG.

Apologies for absence were received from Brian McGlynn, Jonathan Richenberg and SD welcomed Jennifer Hilgart from the NCC-C.

2 Declarations of interest
SD noted that the following GDG members have declared the following interests since the last GDG meeting:

- HK has made a number of declarations which the NCC-C are still categorising with NICE. Until this is complete HK should withdraw from discussions on topic 10 today.
- The declaration regarding Varian made at the 2nd GDG meeting by PH is still being categorised with the NCC-C and NICE. Until this is complete PH should withdraw from discussions on topic 8, therefore topic 8 will not be discussed under agenda item 3, and will be reviewed at the 5th GDG meeting.

Due to JO’s conflict with topic s 6 and 12b JO should withdraw from any discussion on topics 6 and 12b.
Due to PH’s conflict with topics 12c PH should withdraw from any discussion on topic 12c.

No new interests were declared at the meeting. The GDG were reminded that if they take on any new interests, these must be declared to the NCC-C as soon as they happen so that the necessary action can be taken.

3 Discussion

The GDG discussed and amended the PICO tables for topic 7.

PK presented his latest thoughts on risk groups.

KC presented the evidence for topic 9b and the GDG discussed their draft recommendations and LETR paragraph, and also reviewed the old recommendations from CG58.

KC presented the evidence for topic 11b and the GDG discussed their draft recommendations and LETR paragraph, and also reviewed the old recommendations from CG58.

The GDG discussed and agreed the draft economic plan.

4 Close of meeting

SD thanked the GDG for their input to the meeting, reminded them that the next meeting would be on **Tuesday 4th September 2012**, starting at 10.30 at the NICE Offices, Manchester and closed the meeting.