

TRU Joint Health and Safety Committee Recommendations

To: Stacey Jyrkkanen and Lynn Joly

From: TRU JOHSC

Dated: Feb 8, 2011

Please respond within 21 calendar days

OH&S Issue: *(Give a short, clear and complete description of the issue. Describe what, why, who, where and when.)*

Following the Dec 6th 2010 JOHSC Meeting, a recommendation was put forward to address those on Campus that may have issue with air quality when certain solvents are being used on campus.

Committee Recommendation: (attach a separate sheet if necessary) *(Make sure the recommendation deals with workplace health and safety. Include reasons for your recommendation. For complex issues, list options, steps involved and suggested time frame for implementation/completion.)* cc: **Appropriate Manager, Safety Coordinator, CEO, etc.**

Could facilities communicate maintenance projects by updating and maintaining a website that would allow those with severe reactions to industrial solvents to avoid such areas of campus?

Employer Response: (attach a separate sheet if necessary) *(Note to employer: In your response, if you accept this recommendation please include a time frame for completion. If you reject the recommendation please include your reasons.)*

The Capital Projects and Construction department maintains a blog <http://capitalprojects.blog.mytru.ca/>. It describes projects under the purview of DG Project Management. Additionally, the firm posts project updates on Twitter <http://twitter.com/DGProjects>. Capital Projects and Construction reports directly to the VP Administration and Finance and not to Facilities. Large projects such as HOL and OM Third Floor Addition may be delivered by project managers other than DG Project Management. Creating a project blog will be suggested at the start up meeting of the OM Third Floor Addition project scheduled for March 16, 2011.

Signature: _____

Date Received: _____

Committee Comments: *(Note any follow-up or additional action required by the Committee.)*