IGHT Board Meeting

Monday 14th October 2019

Trust Office – 7.30pm

Present: Ian Wilson (IW), Fergus Christie (FC), Jane Clements (JC), Anne Shaw (AS), Malcolm Henderson (MH), Stuart McNeill (SM)

Apologies: Brandon Clements, Ailsa Raeburn

Minutes: Fergus Christie

1. Chair Update

a) Debt analysis provided and discussed. Financial management to be kept under close review b) GREL – Thanks to Andy Clements for all work for securing reduction in price of parts which can be paid. Noted that while this is a significant amount, it is less than originally quoted and is a necessary expenditure. Discussion given to looking at alternative sources of income such as Bio Mass/ Anaerobic Digester – for future consideration.

c) Figures for GTL provided. Consideration to be given to creating a franchise for this such that it would be operated as a separate entity.

- 2. Risk Analysis Assessment has now been undertaken and will be available on the website. This is an important policy document which will require ongoing consideration. Health and Safety audit to be undertaken. A log/written record of procedures and incidents to be available.
- 3. Project Update there will be further consultation on this.
- 4. Andy's Report noted and approved with thanks.
- 5. Achamore Gardens for further discussion. It is hoped that there will be a meeting with Ann Steele of NTS. ACTION AR, FC, JM
- 6. Staffing this is under review. ACTION IW, SW
- 7. Rent Arrears Policy There have been some historical rent arrear issues and there is consequently a need to be vigilant. Any arrears should be noted and if more than two months in arrears then action to be taken. Policy to be reviewed. ACTION
- 8. AOCB Airstrip is this viable. To be considered with GTL Board, but not a priority project.