

# EAST MIDLANDS REGION

## REGIONAL INDUSTRIAL ENERGY AND UTILITIES SECTOR

Unite the Union, Pride Park, Derby  
Friday 22 January 2010



### COMMITTEE

Attendees: Gary Hovvels, Sharon Howard,  
Tony Tinley (Secretary)

1 ***Apologies for Absence***

Apologies of absence were received from Mark Hewitt, Steven Griffiths,  
Nick Clarke. **NOTED**

2 ***Minutes of Last Meeting***

To be agreed at the next meeting as none of that meetings attendees  
were present at this meeting. **NOTED**

3 ***Matters Arising***

Tony Tinley updated the meeting on the ongoing pay discussions.

Centrica – settled 2.5%

E.on Generation – Awaiting outcome of Industrial Action Ballot

E.on Retail – Talks are ongoing to resolve 2009 pay deal

**NOTED**

4 ***Regional Industrial Report***

Tony Tinley outlined the organising strategy in both Energy Services and  
Retail. A general discussion took place. **NOTED**

5 ***Delegates Industrial Reports***

See above.

**NOTED**

6 ***Regional Industrial Strategy***

General Election Preparations

A general debate took place regarding the merits of a Labour  
Government. Tony Tinley to provide Unite Labour telephone bank  
details. **NOTED**

Organising

It was agreed that the main focus should be E,on call centres in this  
Region followed by Energy Services. **NOTED**

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### **7 *Equality Committee Vacancies***

Members agreed to review their existing reps in the East Midlands to identify suitable candidates. **AGREED**

### **8 *Regional Industrial Committee Dates 2010***

Friday mornings were the preferred days for meetings. **NOTED**

### **9 *Any Other Business***

There was no other business.

The meeting closed.