The Department of Mathematics is committed to high standards of health and safety and recognises that the pursuit of excellence in this area is as important as the pursuit of excellence in its core activities. It acknowledges that if there is a conflict between safety and another aim, safety must not be sacrificed.

The Department of Mathematics is committed to continuous improvement in health and safety with the aim of eliminating the causes of injury and damage. It accepts that safety requirements specified in law set only minimum standards and it is constantly reviewing its own safety performance standards to achieve a continuously high standard of health and safety.

The Department of Mathematics is committed to providing the necessary financial resources to ensure that the standards of health and safety required are achieved and maintained.

The Department of Mathematics recognises that to achieve its aim it must provide the necessary health and safety framework. To this end the Department will, so far as is reasonably practicable, provide a suitable working environment, appropriate tools and equipment, provision of health and safety information and the necessary training, supervision and instruction for individuals to undertake their work safely.

The Department of Mathematics recognises that to achieve its aims in health and safety, all departmental members have to contribute. Successful health and safety management can only be effectively achieved through the concerted efforts and active participation of every staff member. Its success relies entirely on the contribution each individual makes towards health and safety.

The Head of Department will conduct an annual health and safety meeting.

(Kurt Langfeld, Head of Department, 10 February 2017)

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