Minutes of Solihull AI Group Meeting on 19/11/2012

Present: Celia, David, Janelle, Phil, Janet, Maurice, Pauline, Bernard, Cathy

1. Speaker : Paul Hainsworth – campaign coordinator for Indonesia.

Interesting and informative talk re : role of country coordinator

: campaign updates including Johan Teterissa . Discussion followed.

1. Matters Arising

* Human Rights day Monday 10th Dec.

Celia has had no reply re Touchwood/Library space

ACTION: Pauline to check re space outside Sainsbury’s and phone round if available.

* Solihull school – interested in forging links

ACTION: David to consider session at the school in New Year

* Organisation of meetings

ACTION: To discuss at December party.

1. AIUK

* Strike called for 20/11/12
* EGM set for 12th Jan 2013. This has been called as a result of restructuring AIUK and AI International. This includes redundancies and shifting finances from AIUK to AI International to form regional hubs.There has not been sufficient consultation with members for such far reaching changes.

ACTION: Solihull AI to be represented at the EGM. Pauline will keep all updated with information.

1. Next Meeting: Monday 17th December 2012 – Xmas party at Pauline and Bernards.