

ECORD Facility Board meeting Rules of Engagement

Confidentiality:

All participants agree to follow the IODP Confidentiality Policy on all discussion items and information from meeting and related communication

Conflict of Interest:

- Any COI must be announced by participants before proposals are discussed
- Direct COI (proponent/co-proponent): participants have to leave room
- ➤ Indirect COI (institution/colleague): participants can stay in room, but do not enter discussion unless asked

Decisions:

- > Vote by hand or nodding of EFB members
- Reaching consensus on actions and decisions (avoiding formal motions)
- > In case of dissent, only Science Board members vote
- > In case of dissent of Science Board members, Chair makes decision

