

SOCIAL POLICY COMMISSION 16/17

Meeting #8

University of Malta, KSU Tipico Careers Common Room
17th December 2016, 16:00

AGENDA

15:45 Registration

1. Approval of Agenda
Agenda Approved.
2. Approval of Minutes
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3. Climate change platform
This platform is a place where we can all turn climate change talk to action. This project is being headed by Dr Moncada and will incorporate regular conferences, debates and regular events. If any organization/student is interested in helping out, they may contact the Social Policy office on socialpolicy@ksu.org.mt
4. One Billion Rising
Simona Avellino (Victim Support Malta) explained the initiative as the largest mass action to end violence against women.

More details here: <https://www.facebook.com/onebillionrisingmalta2017/>

5. Equality Bill Update
In the previous KPS meeting a taskforce was formed and has met since. This project is mid-way there and should be done in next couple of days. An amended bill with relevant opinions and thoughts will be finalized in time for when parliament re-convenes and discusses the bill in 2017. There are many inconsistencies as identified by UBG and this is our opportunity as university students to voice our opinion on the subject matter.
6. Childrens' Dreams Christmas Initiative
It was decided that a party will be held in Common Room after Shaun Cassar (ASCS), said that it is ideal that these children change location so as to create a fun environment.

Update: The madre has since cancelled and after correspondence via email, the majority of organisations agreed that because of the exam period, it is best to donate them to the Sisters of the Missionaries of Mother Teresa.

7. Other Matters

Meeting adjourned at 16:34.