

## CONSULTANCY GROUP

# 'Regulations: Help or Hindrance?'

The breadth of activity covered by members of the Consultancy Group is diverse, but all operate in areas that are subject to continual streams of regulations. Whether you advise on regulatory issues or operate in an area subject to regulatory control, you need to understand what is expected of you as an expert consistent with the requirements of the particular regulatory regime. This meeting covers some of the issues that members have to address. It is timely in view of reviews of the role of expert witness, while many consultants may encounter regulations on wastes, including the imminent implementation of the WEEE Regulations. Hence, the meeting will be of value to established consultants as well as those who may be embarking on that role in the future.

CPD certificates will be provided on request.

### Programme for the Meeting on Thursday 11 May 2006

in the Council Room, RSC, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London

Time		
11.00	Registration	Coffee available
11.25	Chairman's introduction	
11.30	Some current regulations pertaining to expert witness evidence and reporting'	Dr Stephen Benn Royal Society of Chemistry
12.30	Luncheon	
13.45	RSC-CG Annual General Meeting	
14.15	Waste issues	Dr Stephen Burnley The Open University (formerly consultant with AEA Technology)
15.00	Regulatory dogma versus quality by design	Dr Chris Burgess Consultant in pharmaceutical and other regulated industries
15.45	Discussion/open forum	
16.15	Close of meeting	Tea and coffee available

