Balloting Rules Overview
(under revision and subject to change)

HL7 UK FHIR Board Meeting – August 2021
HL7 UK Balloting - Background

• Rules determined by HL7 UK Management Board

• Aligned with HL7 International rules where applicable

• Existing rules currently being updated

• Management Board approval of revisions after August

• Rules cover Standards, STUs (Standards for Trial Use), etc.
Ballot process outline

• Preconditions check
• Ballot authorisation
• Announcement
• Issue of ballot material
• Voting & commenting (default 30 days)
• Approval (or not)
• Reconciliation (disposition of comments)
• Publication (if approved)
Ballot participation

• Commenting: open to all

• Voting: HL7 UK Members only
  – Personal: 1 vote
  – Organisation, Government, Benefactor: 3 votes
  – Negative votes must have a rationale
Comments & questions

[Reminder: revised rules are subject to confirmation]