

**CHIEF OFFICER APPOINTMENTS COMMITTEE**

A meeting of the Chief Officer Appointments Committee was held on 31 August 2007.

**PRESENT:** Councillor Kerr (Chair), Mayor R Mallon, Councillors Brunton, Budd, B Thompson and Ward.

**OFFICIAL :** J Douglas and S Osbon.

**\*\*AN APOLOGY FOR ABSENCE** was submitted on behalf of the Councillor P Thompson.

**\*\* DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

No declarations of interest were made at this point of the meeting.

**\*\*EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC**

**ORDERED** that the press and public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following item on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 1 of part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 and that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighed the public interest in disclosing the information.

**ASSISTANT DIRECTOR OF INTERVENTION AND SAFEGUARDING - SHORTLISTING**

Members considered six applications for the post of Assistant Director, Intervention & Safeguarding, within the Children, Families & Learning Department, against the requirements of the person specification.

**ORDERED** as follows:

It was agreed to invite three candidates for interview on 19 September 2007.