

CHIEF OFFICER APPOINTMENTS COMMITTEE

A meeting of the Chief Officer Appointments Committee was held on 05 October 2007.

PRESENT: Councillor B Thompson (In the Chair), Mayor R Mallon, Councillors J Brunton, B Kerr, P Thompson and T Ward.

In the absence of Councillor Kerr at the beginning of the meeting, Members agreed that Councillor Brenda Thompson should take the Chair for the meeting.

OFFICIALS: J Douglas and S Osbon.

**** 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 - INTERVIEWS

Applications for the post of Assistant Director, Inclusion & Achievement were discussed but Members expressed concern that only 4 applications had been received and therefore it was agreed that the post be re-advertised.

ORDERED as follows:

It was agreed that the post be re-advertised and that existing applicants should be informed that their applications would be retained for consideration with any others received.