

**STAFF APPEALS COMMITTEE**

A formal notice had been issued to all concerned of a meeting of the Staff Appeals Committee to be held on 19 December 2006. At the appointed time of 10.00 a.m. the following were present:

**MEMBERS:** Councillors Rooney and A E Ward.

**OFFICIALS:** J Bennington, D Jackson and R G Long.

**PRESENT BY INVITATION:** Appellant, Appellant's Trade Union representative and A Blower.

**APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE** had been received from Councillors McIntyre and P Thompson.

The Director of Legal and Democratic Services confirmed that there were insufficient Members to achieve a quorum in order for the meeting to proceed.

Reference was made to the Council's Constitution (Part 4, paragraph 6) which stated that if after a period of five minutes there is still not a quorum, the meeting will adjourn immediately. Remaining business will be considered at a time and date fixed by the Chair.

Following a period of approximately 15 minutes it was agreed by all present that a meeting of the Staff Appeals Committee would be re-arranged on a mutually acceptable date.