

Minutes of the Meeting of the EMPLOYEES (APPOINTMENTS) COMMITTEE

Held: THURSDAY, 4 JANUARY 2007 at 9.00 am

<u>PRESENT:</u>

Councillor R Blackmore Councillor Connelly Councillor Garrity Councillor Willmott

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12. ELECTION OF CHAIR

RESOLVED:

that Councillor R Blackmore be elected Chair.

13. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

There were no apologies.

14. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Members were requested to declare any interests they may have in the business to be discussed and/or indicate that Section 106 of the Local Government Finance Act applied to them.

No declarations were made.

15. PRIVATE SESSION

RESOLVED:

that the press and public be excluded during consideration of the following report in accordance with the provisions of Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, as amended, because it involves the likely disclosure of 'exempt' information, as defined in the Paragraphs detailed below of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act and taking all the circumstances into account, it is considered that the public interest in maintaining the information as exempt outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

Paragraph 1

Information relating to any individual.

16. CORPORATE DIRECTOR OF REGENERATION & CULTURE

The full decision is recorded in the private section of the Minutes as it contains exempt information as defined in Paragraph 1 of Schedule 12 of the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1990, that is information relating to an individual and the public interest in maintaining confidentiality is considered to outweigh the public interest in publishing the information.

RESOLVED:

- that the post of Corporate Director of Regeneration and Culture be advertised in the Guardian and an appropriate Local Government publication;
- (2) that the Council's agreed acting up arrangements be put in place pending recruitment to the post; and
- (3) that the process of recruitment be expedited.

17. CLOSE OF MEETING

The meeting ended at 9.30 am.