

## **APPOINTMENTS COMMITTEE**

**22 MAY 2012**

### **EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC**

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#### **Summary**

This report summarises the content of the report which, in the opinion of the proper officer, contains exempt information within one of the categories in Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972. It is a matter for the Committee to determine whether the press and public should be excluded from the meeting during consideration this document.

#### **1. Reason for urgency**

This agenda has been published with less than five clear days notice as this particular Appointments Committee was not formally established by Council until its annual meeting on 16 May 2012 as it required an increased membership taking into account the responsibilities of the post. The Council's decision to increase the membership of this particular Committee was taken after the recruitment timetable had been set, therefore on this occasion, it was not possible to meet the five clear day requirement for publication of the agenda.

#### **2. Recommendation**

- 2.1 The Committee is required to decide whether to exclude the press and public during consideration of the following document because consideration of this matter in public would disclose information falling within one of the descriptions of exempt information contained in Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972, as specified below, and, in all the circumstances of the case, the public interest in maintaining the exemption, outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

<b>Report Title</b>	Director of Children and Adult Services
<b>Agenda Item</b>	5
<b>Summary</b>	To consider and shortlist applicants for interview for the post of Director of Children and Adult Services
<b>Category of exempt information (Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972)</b>	Not for publication under paragraphs 1, 2 and 3 of part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 – relating to information relating to any individual, information which is likely to reveal the identity of an individual and information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person.

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**Background Papers:**

None