

Crawley Borough Council

7 December 2007

Agenda for the **Appointments and Investigating Committee** which will be held in Committee Room B, Town Hall, Crawley, on **Tuesday 18 December 2007 at 9.30 a.m. prompt**

PLEASE NOTE TIME OF MEETING AND PRE MEETING

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Head of Democratic Services

Members: Councillors B K Blake, K Brockwell, B J Burgess, R D Burrett, C A Cheshire, D G Crow, C L Denman, J I Denman, C R Eade, M T Head, R J Hull, S J Joyce, R A Lanzer, C C Lloyd, B McCrow, D W Murdoch, B J Quinn, A J E Quirk, G K Seekings, L A Seekings, D J Shreeves, J A Singh and B A Smith.

Please note that Members requiring refreshments should contact Member Services on 01293 438391 no later than 48 hours before the meeting

Members are reminded that the following Councillors are to attend this meeting:-

Councillors: R D Burrett, R A Lanzer, C C Lloyd, B McCrow and L A Seekings.

The attending Members are also reminded that a pre meeting will be taking place in Committee Room B at 9.00 a.m. on Tuesday 18 December (prior to the Committee's meeting).

Business - Part A

1. Appointment of Chair

To appoint a Chair for the meeting.

2. Minutes

To approve as a correct record the minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 24 April 2007 (**Enclosure A**).

3. Apologies for Absence

4. Members' Disclosures of Interest

Members must declare if they think they have an interest in any item on this agenda and what the interest is. They have a personal interest if a reasonable person thought they had a greater interest in it than other residents of the ward. If this was considered so great it would affect Members' judgements, it becomes prejudicial.

If a Member has a:

Personal and Non Prejudicial Interest – they must declare it, they may stay in the meeting, speak and vote.

However, if the interest arises either from the Member representing the Council on an outside body or because the Member serves on another body exercising functions of a public nature, they only need to declare the interest if they wish to speak on the item.

Personal and Prejudicial Interest – they must declare it, leave the meeting while the item is discussed and take no part in the decision making.

However, if it is an item on which the public are allowed to make representations, the Member may make representations on their own behalf or on behalf of their constituents but must leave the meeting before the item is discussed and voted upon.

5. Exempt Information – Exclusion of the Public

The Committee is asked to consider passing the following resolution:-

That under Section 100A (4) of the Local Government Act 1972 the public be excluded from the meeting for the following item of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Act by virtue of the paragraph specified against the item.

Business – Part B

6. Appointment of Director of Community Services (Exempt Paragraph 1- Information Relating to an Individual)

To undertake the final interviews of the shortlisted candidates. (Papers are circulated separately).

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