



To be submitted to the Council at its meeting on 17th December, 2020

APPOINTMENTS COMMITTEE

7th December 2020 at 9.00 a.m.

Present:

Councillor Fenty (in the Chair)
Councillors Beasant, Brookes, Cracknell, Goodwin (substitute for Patrick), Lindley (substitute for Jackson) and Watson

Officers in attendance:

- Rob Close (Democratic and Scrutiny Support Officer)
- Joanne Hewson (Deputy Chief Executive)
- Victoria Leach (Head of People and Culture)

APT.14 APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

Apologies were received from Councillors Patrick and Jackson for this meeting.

APT.15 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

There were no declarations of interest made in respect of any items on the agenda for this meeting.

APT.16 EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

RESOLVED – That the press and public be excluded for the following business on the grounds that its discussion was likely to disclose exempt information within paragraph 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended).

APT.17 DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN'S SERVICES

The committee considered an update from the Deputy Chief Executive on the appointment process for the Director of Children's Services post. It was reported that seven applications had been received for the post and it was recommended that four candidates be shortlisted for interview.

RESOLVED – That the five candidates recommended, be shortlisted for interviews for the post of Director of Children's Services.

There being no further business, the Chair declared the meeting closed at 9.11 a.m.