# Council

# Appointment of Independent Person on the Standards Committee and independent member on the Independent Remuneration Panel

Report of Director of Legal Services

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## 1. Background

- 1.1 The Council have undertaken a process to appoint an additional independent person on the Standards Committee and an independent member on the Independent Remuneration Panel.
- 1.2 Following advertisement for the positions, a panel comprising of members from the three largest groups and the Director of Legal Services conducted the interviews.
- 1.3 The recommendation from the panel to Council is to appoint Geoffrey Millard as an independent member on the Independent Remuneration Panel and Bushra Tabassum as an Independent Person under the Localism Act for the Standards Committee, both to serve for a 4 year term.

#### 2. Recommendations

2.1 Council are recommended to make the appointments as detailed in paragraph 1.3 of the report.

### Background papers

The following is a list of background papers on which this report is based in accordance with the requirements of Section 100(1) of the Local Government Act 1972. It does include documents which would disclose exempt or confidential information.

Membership of Independent Remuneration Panel/ Standards Committee

