Meeting of the Full Council Meeting to be held on Thursday, 18 October 2018

Report submitted by: Head of Legal and Democratic Services

Part A

Electoral Division affected: None;

Report of the Employment Committee - Appointment of Chief Executive and Director of Resources

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Executive Summary

The Employment Committee has conducted interviews for the appointment to the post of Chief Executive and Director of Resources.

The Chair of the Employment Committee will report on the decision of the Employment Committee, from its meeting on 9 October 2018, at this meeting.

Recommendation

The Full Council is asked to consider the recommendations of the Employment Committee from its meeting on 9 October 2018 in respect of the appointment of the council's Chief Executive and Director of Resources.

Background and Advice

The Full Council has delegated to the Employment Committee the role of appointing the Chief Executive (Head of the Paid Service) and other senior officers including Executive Directors, the Monitoring Officer and the Chief Financial Officer (s. 151 Officer).

The terms of reference of the Employment Committee provide that, where the Committee is appointing the Chief Executive, the Monitoring Officer or Chief Financial Officer, the Full Council must approve the appointment or dismissal before an offer of appointment is made. This is subject to the appointment being notified to every member of the Cabinet and that either:

(a) Within the period specified in the notification no objection has been made by the Leader on behalf of the Cabinet to the appointment; or



- (b) The Committee making the decision is satisfied that any objection made is not material or is not well founded; or
- (c) The Leader has, within the period specified in the notification, notified the Committee that neither he/she nor any member of the Cabinet has any objections.

Interviews for the post of Chief Executive and Director of Resources were held on 9 October 2018. The recommendation of the Employment Committee and the outcome of any consultations with members of the Cabinet will be reported orally to Full Council at the meeting.

Consultations

N/A

Implications:

This item has the following implications, as indicated:

Risk management

N/A

Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985 List of Background Papers

Paper

Date

Contact/Tel

None

Reason for inclusion in Part II, if appropriate

N/A