

Report to: Council

Subject: Appointment to Committees

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1. PURPOSE OF THE REPORT

To advise Council of requests for changes to Committee nominations received from the Conservative Group and the Independent Group.

2. BACKGROUND

Requests have been received for nominations to Committees in the following terms:

Conservative Group:

Personnel and Resources: Remove Councillor E J Collin

Appoint Councillor J J Spencer

Independent Group:

Planning: Appoint Councillor A G Barton to the vacant seat

3. PROPOSAL

The Council is required to give effect to Group nominations and Council is therefore recommended to approve the necessary changes.

Councillor Collin is currently Chair of the Personnel and Resources Committee and it is proposed that Councillor J J Spencer be appointed to the Chair of the Committee. The Chair of the Personnel and Resources Committee, also by virtue of that chairmanship, chairs the Audit Committee and the Joint Consultative and Safety Committee. It is

therefore proposed that Councillor J J Spencer is also appointed to the Chair of these Committees.

4. **RECOMMENDATION**

Council agree:

- 1. To the removal of Councillor E J Collin from the Personnel and Resources Committee, Audit Sub-Committee and the Joint Consultative and Safety Committee.
- 2. To the appointment of Councillor J J Spencer to the Personnel and Resources Committee, the Audit Sub-Committee and the Joint Consultative and Safety Committee as chair of these Committees.
- 3. To the appointment of Councillor A G Barton to the Planning Committee