EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE

TUESDAY, 12TH FEBRUARY, 2013

PRESENT: Councillor L Yeadon in the Chair

Councillors C Gruen, G Latty, S Lay,

A Lowe and C Macniven

5 APPEALS AGAINST REFUSAL OF INSPECTION OF DOCUMENTS

There were no appeals against refusal of inspection documents in accordance with Procedure Rule 19 of the Access to Information Procedure Rules.

6 EXCLUSION OF PUBLIC

RESOLVED - That the public be excluded from the meeting under the terms of Access to Information Procedure Rule 10.4(1) and (2) and on the grounds that, in all the circumstances of the case, the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information by reason of the need to maintain the competitive nature of the interview process and to retain information submitted by individual applicants in confidence, as disclosure could undermine the process, future appointment processes, or the outcome on this occasion to the detriment of the Council's and public interest.

7 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

Although no formal declarations of interest were made, Councillor Yeadon advised the Committee that she had prior knowledge of some of the candidates involved in the process, due to her role as the Council's Executive Member for Adult Social Care, whilst Councillor Lowe advised the Committee that she had prior knowledge of a candidate involved in the process, due to her role as Chief Executive of a community organisation.

8 APPOINTMENT TO THE POSITION OF CHIEF OFFICER (ADULT SOCIAL CARE REFORMS)

Sandie Keene, Director of Adult Social Services was in attendance for this item, in an advisory capacity.

Following the consideration of the application details for those candidates which had been long listed for the position of Chief Officer (Adult Social Care Reforms), it was

RESOLVED – That 5 applicants for the position of Chief Officer (Adult Social Care Reforms) be short listed for formal interview.