EMPLOYMENT COMMITTEE

THURSDAY, 12TH JUNE, 2014

PRESENT: Councillor R Lewis in the Chair

Councillors J McKenna, S Golton, P Gruen,

P Harrand and E Taylor

Apologies Councillor G Harper

1 APPEALS AGAINST REFUSAL OF INSPECTION OF DOCUMENTS

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

2 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.

3 DECLARATION OF DISCLOSABLE PECUNIARY INTERESTS

There were no declarations of Disclosable Pecuniary Interests made.

4 APOLOGIES

Apologies were received from Councillor G Harper. Councillor J McKenna was in attendance as substitute.

5 APPOINTMENT TO THE POSITION OF CHIEF ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT OFFICER

Martin Farrington Director of City Development and Lorraine Hallam Chief Officer HR were in attendance in an advisory capacity.

The Committee interviewed one applicant for the position of Chief Economic Development Officer.

RESOLVED – That Tom Bridges be offered the post of Chief Economic Development Officer.