

## APPEALS PANEL

Minutes of meeting held in Committee Room 3, Council Offices, Almada Street, Hamilton on 18 January 2018

**Chair:**

Councillor Gladys Miller

**Councillors Present:**

Poppy Corbett, Jim McGuigan

**Attending:**

**Finance and Corporate Resources**

S McLeod, Administration Officer; E Maxwell, Personnel Adviser

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### 1 Declaration of Interests

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No interests were declared.

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### 2 Urgent Business

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There were no items of urgent business.

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### 3 Exclusion of Press and Public

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**The Panel decided:**

that, in terms of Section 50A(4) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the next item of business on the grounds that it was likely that there would be disclosure of exempt information in terms of Paragraph 1 of Part I of Schedule 7A of the Act.

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### 4 Appeal Against Dismissal

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The Administration Officer referred to appeal (Ref 8/17) and advised the Panel that the appellant had requested a postponement due to the unavailability of his representatives. The appellant had also advised that he would arrange to have his statements and appeal notes submitted.

**The Panel decided:**

that the appellant be contacted to advise that his submissions and details of his representatives required to be received no later than 12 noon on Friday 26 January 2018, failing which, it would be assumed that his appeal had been withdrawn.