



COUNCIL - WEDNESDAY, 14 OCTOBER 2026

Late Item(s)

6. SCHEME OF DELEGATION(Pages 3 - 4)

Councillor P Hodgson-Jones, Chair of the Corporate Governance Committee to present a report on proposals to amend the Council's Constitution on a revised Scheme of Delegation, updated to reflect changes in Officer roles and posts and redrafted to provide greater clarity on the distinction between delegations relating to Council functions and Executive functions.

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Agenda Item 6 - Scheme of Delegation

Corrections to Appendix 1 – Officer Scheme of Delegation

Following publication of the Agenda, three statutory references within Appendix 1 have been identified as requiring correction. The following amendments should be read into the Scheme:

Reference in published Appendix	Correction
Accounts and Audit Regulations 2003	Replace with Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015. Where Regulation 5 is specifically cited, this should read “Regulation 5 of the Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015”.
Section 321(3) Highways Act 1990	Replace with Section 321 of the Highways Act 1980.
Part I, Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000, in relation to directed surveillance and covert human intelligence sources	Replace “Part I” with “Part II of the Regulation of Investigatory Powers Act 2000”.

These corrections update the statutory references only and do not alter the substance of the delegations proposed in Appendix 1.

Recommendations

- 1.1 approve the revised Scheme of Delegation as set out in Appendix 1 to the report now submitted, subject to the above corrections being incorporated into the final version of the Scheme.**
- 1.2 amend the Council’s Constitution accordingly.**

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