



Orkney and Shetland Valuation Joint Board



Minute

Friday, 24 February 2023, 15:30.

Microsoft Teams.

Present:

Orkney Islands Council:

Dr Stephen G Clackson, Kristopher D Leask, P Lindsay Hall, John A R Scott and Gillian Skuse.

Shetland Islands Council:

Allison Duncan, Stephen Leask, Liz Peterson, Gary Robinson and Arwed Wenger.

Clerk to the Board:

- Karen A Greaves.

In Attendance:

Orkney Islands Council:

- Andrew Groundwater, Head of Human Resources and Organisational Development.
- Gavin Mitchell, Head of Legal and Governance.
- Hazel Flett, Service Manager (Governance).

Chair:

- Dr Stephen G Clackson, Orkney Islands Council, Depute Convener of the Board.

1. Introduction and Apologies

The Depute Convener welcomed everyone to the meeting.

Apologies had been intimated on behalf of Dr Jean E Stevenson (representing Orkney), with Gillian Skuse attending as a substitute.

2. Declarations of Interest

No declarations of interest were intimated in respect of the business to be considered at this meeting.

3. Disclosure of Exempt Information

The Board resolved that the public be excluded from the meeting for consideration of Item 4, as the business to be discussed involved the potential disclosure of exempt information of the class described in the relevant paragraph of Part 1 of Schedule 7A of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 as amended.

4. Post of Assessor/Electoral Registration Officer

Under section 50A(4) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973, the public had been excluded from the meeting for this item on the grounds that it involved the disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 7A of the Act.

The Board **resolved**

4.1. To confirm the recommendation of the Recruitment Panel, namely that Robert Eunson be offered the post of Assessor/Electoral Registration Officer.

4.2. To delegate powers to the Clerk to undertake and conclude the recruitment checks and, if all were satisfactory, to thereafter issue a contract of employment to Mr Eunson.

The above constitutes the summary of the Minute in terms of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973 section 50C(2) as amended by the Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985.

5. Conclusion of Meeting

At 15:50 the Depute Convener declared the meeting concluded.

Signed: Stephen Clackson.