PERSONNEL APPEALS PANEL

30 JULY 2007

Chairman: * Councillor Mrs Camilla Bath

Councillors: * Mrs Anjana Patel * Bill Stephenson

* Denotes Member present

PART I - RECOMMENDATIONS - NIL

PART II - MINUTES

67. **Appointment of Chairman:**

RESOLVED: That Councillor Mrs Camilla Bath be appointed Chairman of the Panel for the purposes of the meeting.

68. **Declarations of Interest:**

RESOLVED: To note that there were no declarations of interests made by Members in relation to the business transacted at this meeting.

69. Arrangement of Agenda:

RESOLVED: That the appeal be considered with the press and public excluded on the grounds that it would involve the disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972, in that there would be disclosure of information relating to an individual.

70. Minutes:

(See Note at conclusion of these minutes).

71. Grievance Appeal:

Following careful consideration of both the written and verbal evidence presented by the appellant and the written and verbal evidence presented by management, the Panel

RESOLVED: That (1) the appeal be upheld;

(2) the relevant Corporate Director, the Chief Executive and the Leader of the Council be made aware of a number of concerns expressed by the Panel in relation to the case.

(Note: The meeting having commenced at 9.45 am, closed at 5.00 pm)

(Signed) COUNCILLOR CAMILLA BATH Chairman

[Note: Personnel Appeals Panel minutes are:-

- (1) approved following each meeting by the Members serving on that particular occasion and signed as a correct record by the Chairman for that meeting;
- printed into the Council Minute Volume, published monthly;
- not submitted to the next panel meeting for approval.

Reasons: The Personnel Appeals Panel is constituted from a pooled membership. Consequently, a subsequent Panel meeting is likely to comprise a different Chairman and Members who took no part in the previous meeting's proceedings. The process referred to at (1) above provides appropriate approval scrutiny].