



# **Chief Officers' Employment Panel**

## **Minutes**

**18 July 2023**

**Present:**

**Chair:** Councillor Paul Osborn

**Councillors:** David Ashton Krishna Suresh  
Marilyn Ashton

**Apologies received:** Councillor David Perry Councillor Natasha Proctor

**Absent:** Councillor Hitesh Karia

**50. Membership**

Apologies for absence had been received from Councillor David Perry and Councillor Natasha Proctor.

**51. Declarations of Interest**

**RESOLVED:** To note that there were no declarations of interests made by Members.

**52. Minutes**

**RESOLVED:** That the minutes of the meeting of the Chief Officers' Employment Panel held on 12 July 2023, which had been tabled due to the proximity of the meetings, be taken as read and signed as a correct record.

### 53. Exclusion of the Press and Public

**RESOLVED:** That in accordance with Part I of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following item(s) for the reasons set out below:

<u>Item</u>	<u>Title</u>	<u>Reason</u>
5.	Appointment of Director of Children's Services	Information under paragraph 1 (contains information relating to any individual).

### Resolved Items

### 54. Appointment of Director of Children's Services

The Panel received four applications for the statutory post of Director of Children's Services.

Having interviewed three candidates, the Panel adjourned. Having reconvened, the Panel interviewed the fourth candidate and

**RESOLVED:** That the statutory post of Director of Children's Services be offered to Parmjit Kaur Chahal, who had been the Interim Director of Safeguarding and Preventative Services, South Gloucestershire Children's Services, on a salary of £132,168 pa subject to there being no material or well-founded objection by any member of the Executive.

(Note: The meeting, having commenced at 2.15 pm, adjourned at 4.55 pm, re-convened at 11.45 am on 19 July 2023 and closed at 1.20 pm).

(Signed) Councillor Paul Osborn  
Chair