

COUNCIL16 July 2020
4.00 - 4.15 pm

Present: Councillors Ashton, Baigent, Barnett, Bick, Bird, Cantrill, Chadwick, Collis, Dalzell, Davies, Davey, Dryden, Gehring, Green, Hadley, Herbert, Hipkin, Johnson, Lord, Martinelli, Massey, Matthews, McGerty, McPherson, McQueen, Moore, O'Reilly, Page-Croft, Payne, Pippas, Porrer, Price, Robertson, Sargeant, Sheil, Smart, Smith, Thittala, Thornburrow, Todd-Jones and Tunnacliffe

FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE COUNCIL**20/70/CNL Recommendations of the Employment (Senior Officer) Committee - 30 June 2020**

Council RESOLVED to exclude the public by virtue of paragraphs 1 and 2 of part 1 of schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

Cllr Herbert, Chair of the Employment (Senior Officer) Committee updated the Council on the Committee's work on the recruitment of a Chief Executive. The recruitment exercise had been rigorous and taken place over a longer period than anticipated because of practicalities surrounding ways of working since lockdown in late March under Covid-19.

A candidate had been selected for recommendation to the Council but they withdrew from the recruitment process before this meeting. This was obviously a disappointment to the Committee which had gone through a rigorous and thorough recruitment process.

A further meeting of the Committee was held on Wednesday and it was agreed the post will be re-advertised and there will now be a need to recruit an interim Chief Executive to cover the period between when the current Chief Executive leaves and a successor starts. That work will begin as soon as possible.

The meeting ended at 4.15 pm

CHAIR

