

**THE HIGHLAND COUNCIL  
RESOURCES COMMITTEE  
APPOINTMENT PANEL**

Minutes of Meeting of the Resources  
Committee's Appointment Panel held  
in the Council Headquarters,  
Inverness on Thursday 1 May 2008  
at 9.30 a.m.

**PRESENT:**

Mrs C Wilson  
Mrs P Munro  
Mr A S Park

Mrs J Urquhart  
Mr D C M Flear  
Mrs D Mackay

Officials in attendance:-

Mr A B Dodds, Chief Executive  
Ms M Morris, Assistant Chief Executive

**Mrs C Wilson in the Chair**

**1. Exclusion of the Public**

The Panel **RESOLVED** that, under Section 50A(4) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act, 1973, the public be excluded from the meeting for the following items on the grounds that they involved the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 7A of the Act.

**2. Minute of Meeting of Appointment Panel - Shortleeting**

There had been circulated to Members only Minute of Meeting of the Appointment Panel held on 8 April, 2008, the terms of which were **APPROVED**.

**3. Appointment of Head of Legal and Democratic Services**

The panel were advised that two candidates had been shortleeted for interview. The panel selected questions to ask the candidates and proceeded to interview them.

Following consideration, it was **AGREED** that Miss Leslie Johnstone be appointed to the post of Head of Legal and Democratic Services.

The meeting ended at 10.40 a.m.