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**CONSTITUTION ADVISORY GROUP**

**DATE:** 25 January 2010

<b>TITLE</b>	<b>MEMBERS' ACCEPTABLE USE POLICY (ICT)</b>	<b>ITEM NO.</b>
<b>REPORT OF</b>	Assistant Director Legal and Democratic	<b>4</b>

<b>PURPOSE</b>	To agree to include the new Members' Acceptable Use Policy at Part F6 of the Constitution in place of the 'Interim Members' Protocol on the Use of ICT at Home'.
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<b>ORIGIN OF PROPOSAL</b>	Executive 13 October 2009
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**RECOMMENDATION:**

**That Members note the Executive's approval on 13 October 2009 of the new Members' Acceptable Use Policy and agree its inclusion at Part F6 in the constitution, in place of the Interim Members' ICT Protocol.**

**SUPPORTING INFORMATION**

1. Members may recall that shortly before finalising the new CBC constitution a year ago it was decided to include an 'Interim Members' Protocol on the Use of ICT at Home' at Part F6. This reflected the continuation of the legacy authorities' own very similar protocols until such time as a new protocol was agreed following the June 2009 election.
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2. A new CBC Members' Acceptable Use Policy was approved by the Executive on 13 October 2009 for publication and implementation. The new policy (attached) updates the previous one, which is now replaced.
2. Assuming that the Group considers that the document should continue to form part of the constitution, the new Policy document will be included in the next reprint of constitution pages and circulated to all Members.

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<b>Key Background Papers:</b>
None