

SHADOW EXECUTIVE

5 AUGUST 2008

SUBJECT	Appointment of Members To Staffing (Appointments and Dismissals) Committee and determination of the process for appointments of Heads of Service (To appoint Members to sit on the Staffing (Appointments and Dismissals) Committee in the light of the provision within the Local Government (Structural and Boundary Changes) (Staffing) Regulations 2008 that the appointment and dismissal of Chief Officers shall be the responsibility of the Executive rather than the Council and to determine the appointments process for Heads of Service.)
REPORT OF	Interim Monitoring Officer
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IMPLICATIONS

SUSTAINABILITY	None
FINANCIAL	Following the recent approval of a Scheme of Members' Allowances travelling allowances are payable to appointed Members attending meetings of the Appointments Committee.
LEGAL	The Local Government (Structural and Boundary Changes) (Staffing) Regulations 2008 provide that functions relating to recruitment, appointment and dismissal of any Chief Officer shall, in the case of Central Bedfordshire, be a function of the Shadow Executive.
PERSONNEL/EQUAL OPPORTUNITIES	None arising from consideration of this report.
COMMUNITY DEV/SAFETY	None
TRADES UNION	None
HUMAN RIGHTS	None arising from consideration of this report.
KEY ISSUE	No
BUDGET/POLICY FRAMEWORK	No

OTHER DOCUMENTS RELEVANT TO REPORT

None

Further legal advice has been sought and will be incorporated in the detailed report to follow.