

Agenda Item 16: Appointments to Outside Bodies

Recommendation 3 of this report proposes extending the existing temporary appointments until 31 August 2009 or until fresh appointments are made, whichever is the earlier, where the representatives appointed in March 2009 continue to be Central Bedfordshire Council Members. This applies to 98 out of the 150 separate councillor appointments listed in the bottom row of the appended schedule of outside bodies. The other 52 appointees are former shadow councillors who are no longer elected Members.

It is proposed that, where agreed with the Group Leaders on a case by case basis, the Monitoring Officer should be authorised similarly to extend the terms of office of persons who are no longer elected Members.

Recommendation 3 of the report should therefore be amended to read:

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| <p>3. That existing temporary appointments be extended until 31 August 2009 or until fresh appointments are made, whichever is the earlier, where either:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">(a) the representatives appointed in March 2009 continue to be Central Bedfordshire Council Members; or(b) in other cases, an extension has been agreed with the Group Leaders on a case by case basis. |
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