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NOTICE OF MEETING

A meeting of the **AUDIT AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE** will be held **BY MICROSOFT TEAMS** on **THURSDAY, 13 JUNE 2024** at **11:00 AM**, which you are requested to attend.

Douglas Hendry Executive Director

BUSINESS

- 1. APOLOGIES
- 2. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST
- 3. MINUTE OF PREVIOUS MEETING OF THE AUDIT AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE, HELD ON 14 MARCH 2024 (Pages 3 10)

AUDIT ITEMS

4. INTERNAL AUDIT AND COUNTER FRAUD SUMMARY OF ACTIVITIES (Pages 11 - 18)

Report by Chief Internal Auditor

5. INTERNAL AND EXTERNAL AUDIT REPORT FOLLOW UP 2023-24 (Pages 19 - 36)

Report by Chief Internal Auditor

SCRUTINY ITEMS

6. INTERNAL AUDIT -

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Report by Executive Director with responsibility for Customer Support Services

10. UNAUDITED FINANCIAL ACCOUNTS - TO FOLLOW

Report by Head of Financial Services

11. WORKPLAN (Pages 133 - 136)

For noting and updating

12. INTERNAL AUDIT REPORTS TO AUDIT AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE 2023/2024

- (a) Covering Report and Internal Audit Reports (Pages 137 212)Report by Chief Internal Auditor
 - Financial Ledger
 - Learning and Physical Disability Care Packages
 - Scottish Social Services Council (SSSC) Registration
 - Freedom of Information Requests
 - Cloud Based Computer Services
- E1 (b) Internal Audit Report (Pages 213 230)
 - Client Funds Progress Review

The Committee will be asked to pass a resolution in terms of Section 50 (A)(4) of the Local

that it is likely to involve the disclosure of exempt information as defined in the appropriate paragraphs of Part 1 of Schedule 7a to the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973. The appropriate paragraphs are:-

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Paragraph 6