

# Minutes of Chief Officers Appointments Sub-Committee

**Tuesday, 7 February 2023 at 10.30 am  
at Committee Room 1 - Sandwell Council House, Oldbury**

**Present:** Councillor Piper (Chair)  
Councillors Kalari and Padda.

**Also present:** Dean Epton (Assistant Director – Housing), Manjit Gill (HR Business Partner), Alex Goddard (Democratic Services Officer), John Swann (Democratic Services Officer).

## **1/23 Apologies for absence**

No apologies for absence were received.

## **2/23 Declarations of Interest**

There were no interests declared at the meeting.

## **3/23 Minutes**

**Resolved** that the minutes of the meeting held on 9 December 2021 be received.

## **4/23 Urgent Business**

There were no urgent items of business to consider.

## **5/23 Exclusion of the Public and Press**



**Resolved** that the public and press be excluded from the rest of the meeting to avoid the possible disclosure of exempt information under Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 as amended by the Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) Order 2006, relating to any individual.

### **6/23 Arrangements for the Appointment of an Assistant Director of Building Safety and Compliance**

Following a recruitment process, the Sub-Committee interviewed a candidate for the position of Assistant Director of Building Safety and Compliance.

Having considered the Candidate, the Sub-Committee resolved unanimously to appoint Mr Phil Deery to the position of Assistant Director of Building Safety and Compliance.

**Resolved** that Phil Deery, currently Business Manager for Housing – Asset Management and Maintenance at Sandwell Metropolitan Borough Council be appointed to the role of Assistant Director of Building Safety and Compliance.

Meeting ended at 11.38am

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