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COUNCIL 1st February 2023

REPORT OF THE HEAD OF LEGAL AND DEMOCRATIC SERVICES - Mr. Craig Griffiths.

SECTION A – MATTER FOR DECISION

WARDS AFFECTED: ALL

CHANGES TO POLITICAL PROPORTIONALITY AND COMMITTEE MEMBERSHIP

Purpose of the Report

1. The purpose of this report is to authorise changes to the allocation of seats on council committees and outside bodies to the political groups.

Amendments to Committee Membership

- The Head of Legal and Democratic Services has been notified of the proposed changes to the membership of Council committees specified below:
- That Cllr Caroline Lewis be removed as a member of the Cabinet Scrutiny Committee
- That Cllr Jeff Jones be appointed as a member of the Cabinet Scrutiny Committee

Amendment to Outside Body Membership

The Head of Legal and Democratic Services has been notified of the proposed changes to the membership of the outside body specified below:

- That Cllr Caroline Lewis be removed as the named Council representative on the Pension Fund Committee (City and County of Swansea.)
- That Cllr Phil Rogers be appointed as the named Council representative on the Pension Fund Committee (City and County of Swansea.)

Financial Impact

4. There are no financial impacts.

Integrated Impact Assessment

5. There is no requirement to undertake an Integrated Impact Assessment as the issues within the report relate to constitutional matters only.

Workforce Impacts

6. There are no workforce Impacts.

Legal Powers

7. Section 15 of the Local Government and Housing Act 1989 and Local Government Act 2000

Risk Management

8. There are no risk management issues that require attention.

Consultation

9. There is no requirement under the Constitution for external consultation on this item.

Recommendations

10. It is recommended that Council approves the changes to the membership of committees as contained in paragraphs 2 and 3 of this report.

Reason for Proposed Decisions:

11. To update the Council's membership arrangements.

Implementation of Decisions:

12. The decisions are for immediate implementation.

List of Background Papers:

13. Neath Port Talbot County Borough Council Constitution.

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