<u>Item 2</u>

COUNCIL MEETING - 30 NOVEMBER 2009

LATE ITEMS OF URGENT BUSINESS

The Chief Executive

Madam Mayor, there are THREE late item of business, which could not be available earlier, and which will need to be dealt with at this meeting. The reasons for lateness and urgency are given in each of the reports laid round.

<u>Item 7 – Report of the Monitoring Officer and head of Legal Services</u>

The Monitoring Officer was going to give a verbal update in respect of 2 recent Standards Cttee determinations but then decided that a formal written report would be more appropriate.

<u>Item 8 – Appointments to Outside Bodies</u>

My report could not be circulated earlier as information was awaited from Party Groups in terms of changes to Committee memberships. It is urgent in order to permit these changes to be made.

<u>Item 11 – Questions and Written Answers</u>

Notice of questions is not requested until 8 clear days before the meeting, following which the matters raised have to be researched and replies prepared to be given at the meeting.