EAST CHESHIRE COUNCIL

Staffing Committee Agenda

Date: Thursday, 24th July, 2008

Time: 9.00 am

Venue: Reynolds Room, Mottram Hall Hotel, Reynolds Room, Mottram Hall Hotel,

Wilmslow Road, Mottram St Andrew, Cheshire

The agenda is divided into 2 parts. Part 1 is taken in the presence of the public and press. Part 2 items will be considered in the absence of the public and press for the reasons indicated on the agenda and at the foot of each report.

PART 1 – MATTERS TO BE CONSIDERED WITH THE PUBLIC AND PRESS PRESENT

1. Apologies for absence

2. **Declarations of Interest**

To provide an opportunity for Members and Officers to declare any personal and/or prejudicial interests in any item on the agenda

3. Public Speaking Time/Open Session

In accordance with Procedure Rules Nos.11 and 35 a total period of 10 minutes is allocated for members of the public to address the Committee on any matter relevant to the work of the Committee.

Individual members of the public may speak for up to 5 minutes but the Chairman will decide how the period of time allocated for public speaking will be apportioned where there are a number of speakers.

Note: In order for officers to undertake any background research it would be helpful if questions were submitted at least one working day before the meeting.

4. <u>Exclusion of the Press and Public</u>

The reports relating to the remaining items on the agenda have been withheld from public circulation and deposit pursuant to Section 100(B)(2) of the Local Government Act 1972 on the grounds that the matters may be determined with the press and public excluded.

The Staffing Committee may decide that the press and public be excluded from the meeting during consideration of the following items pursuant to Section 100(A)4 of the Local Government Act 1972 on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 4 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 and public interest would not be served in publishing the information.

(Paragraph 3 concerns information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information) Paragraph 4 concerns information relating to any consultations or negotiations, or contemplated consultations or negotiations, in connection with any labour relations matter arising between the authority or a Minister of the Crown and employees of, or office holders under, the authority.)

5. Minutes of Previous meeting

To consider the Minutes of the meeting held on 14 July 2008 (To follow)

6. **Appointment of a Chief Executive** (Pages 1 - 2)

To interview shortlisted candidates for this post and to consider a recommendation to the Council on 30 July for the appointment of a preferred applicant to the post of Chief Executive, subject to the Staff Employment Procedure Rules in relation to the Appointment of Head of Paid Service (Chief Executive).