



Standing Orders relating to the Partnership

Date of meeting 1 June 2017

Date of report 16 May 2017

Report by RTP Secretary/Assistant Chief Executive (Business Support)

1. Object of report

To lay before the Partnership, a proposed revision to the Partnership Standing Orders as required by Standing Order 9.

2. Background

Paragraph 1.2 of the Standing Orders determines the cycle of Partnership meetings. It is proposed that the frequency of Partnership meetings, and its committees (with the exception of the Personnel and Personnel Appeals Sub-Committees), be revised to a quarterly cycle from eight weekly. This will require a revision to the Partnership's Standing Orders. It is proposed that the wording in the first sentence at paragraph 1.2 be amended as follows:-

"The Partnership shall except as hereinafter provided meet quarterly on a Friday at such time and place intimated by the Secretary."

This revision will support the effective operation of the Partnership and its committee structure and allow a more effective use of member and officer time commitments.

3. Current Position

Standing Order No. 9 states that any motion to vary or revoke standing orders shall, when proposed and seconded, stand adjourned without discussion to the next meeting of the Partnership.

4. Partnership action

The Partnership is asked to adjourn consideration until the next meeting as required.

5. Consequences

Policy consequences	<i>n/a</i>
Legal consequences	<i>n/a</i>
Financial consequences	<i>n/a</i>
Personnel consequences	<i>n/a</i>

Equalities consequences	n/a
Risk consequences	n/a

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