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# AUDIT COMMITTEE

DATE:	Thursday, 30 January 2020
TIME:	10.30 am
VENUE:	Connaught Room - Town Hall, Station Road, Clacton-on-Sea, CO15 1SE

AGENDA

#### **MEMBERSHIP:**

Councillor Coley (Chairman) Councillor Alexander (Vice-Chairman) Councillor Codling Councillor King Councillor Miles Councillor Placey Councillor Steady

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## AGENDA

#### 1 Apologies for Absence and Substitutions

The Committee is asked to note any apologies for absence and substitutions received from Members.

#### 2 <u>Minutes of the Last Meeting</u> (Pages 1 - 8)

To confirm and sign as a correct record, the minutes of the last meeting of the Committee, held on

## 3 <u>Declarations of Interest</u>

Councillors are invited to declare any Disclosable Pecuniary Interests or Personal Interest, and the nature of it, in relation to any item on the agenda.

#### 4 <u>Questions on Notice pursuant to Council Procedure Rule 38</u>

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#### 5 <u>Report of the Internal Audit Manager - A.1 - Periodic Report on Internal Audit -</u> <u>September to December 2019 and Updated Internal Audit Charter</u> (Pages 9 - 26)

To provide the Committee with a periodic report on the Internal Audit function for the period September to December 2019.

## 6 <u>Report of Head of Finance, Revenues and Benefits & Section 151 Officer - A.2 -</u> <u>Corporate Risk Update</u> (Pages 27 - 60)

To present to the Audit Committee the updated Corporate Risk Register.

#### 7 <u>Report of the Head of Finance, Revenues and Benefits & Section 151 Officer - A.3 -</u> <u>Table of Outstanding Issues</u> (Pages 61 - 66)

An update will be given on the progress against outstanding actions identified by the Committee.

## Date of the Next Scheduled Meeting

The next scheduled meeting of the Audit Committee is to be held in the Town Hall, Station Road, Clacton-on-Sea, CO15 1SE at 10.30 am on Thursday, 26 March 2020.

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