Glossary of Abbreviations and Acronyms

AGS Annual Governance Statement
CHIS Covert Human Intelligence Sources

CIES Comprehensive Income and Expenditure Statement
CIPFA Chartered Institute of Public Finance and Accountancy

EAG Essex Audit Group

ERCF Eastern Region Corporate Fraud

EY Ernst and Young

FRC Financial Reporting Council

GF General Fund

HBMS Housing Benefit Matching Service

HRA Housing Revenue Account

IAS International Accounting Standard

IFRS International Financial Reporting Standard

ISA International Standard on Auditing

IUC Interview Under Caution

LGPS Local Government Pension Scheme
MIRS Movement in Reserves Statement
MTFF Medium Term Financial Forecast
NAFN National Anti-Fraud Network

NAO National Audit Office

NFI National Fraud Initiative

PCAW Public Concern at Work

PCI Payment Card Industry

PPE Property, Plant and Equipment
PSAA Public Sector Audit Appointments
PSIAS Public Sector Internal Audit Standards

PSN Public Services Network
PWC Price Waterhouse Coopers
RBV Risk Based Verification

RIPA Regulation of Investigative Powers Act

SOA Statement of Accounts

SOLACE Society of Leaders and Chief Executives

TCWG Those Charged With Governance

VFM Value for Money

WGA Whole of Government Accounts