SOUTHEND-ON-SEA BOROUGH COUNCIL

Audit Committee

Date: Wednesday, 29th March, 2017 Time: 6.30 pm

Place: Committee Room 1 - Civic Suite Contact: Colin Gamble

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AGENDA

- 1 Apologies for Absence
- 2 Declarations of Interest
- 3 Minutes of the Meeting held on 18 January 2017 (Pages 1 4)
- 4 LiquidLogic (To Follow)
 Report of the Deputy Chief Executive (People)
- **Section 75 Agreements** (Pages 5 8) Report of Deputy Chief Executive (People)
- Internal Audit Services, Risk Management Audit Update (To Follow)
 Presentation of Chief Executive
- 7 BDO: Grants Claims and Returns Certification Report for the Year ended 31 March 2016 (Pages 9 30)
 Report of Chief Executive
- 8 BDO: Progress Report to Those Charged with Governance (Pages 31 40)
 Report of Chief Executive
- 9 Counter Fraud & Investigation Directorate: Quarterly Progress Report and Counter Fraud & Investigation Strategy for 2017/18 (Pages 41 48)
 Report of Chief Executive
- 10 Internal Audit Service Quarterly Performance Report (Pages 49 100)
 Report of Chief Executive
- **BDO: Audit Plan 2016/17** (Pages 101 122) Report of Chief Executive
- 12 Internal Audit Charter, Strategy and Audit Plan for 2017/18 (Pages 123 164)
 Report of Chief Executive

Information Items

CIPFA Better Governance Forum, Audit Committee Update, Helping Audit Committees to be Effective, Issue 22:

Developing an Effective Annual Governance Statement

- Regular Briefing on Current Developments
- Audit committee training.

Members:

Cllr M Davidson (Chair), Cllr S Buckley (Vice-Chair), Cllr B Ayling, Cllr A Bright, Cllr D Garston, Cllr J Moyies, Cllr C Nevin, Cllr M Stafford, Cllr J Ware-Lane and K Pandya