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To: The Chairman and Members of

the Devon Audit Partnership

Committee

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DEVON AUDIT PARTNERSHIP COMMITTEE

Wednesday, 31st August, 2016

A meeting of the Devon Audit Partnership Committee is to be held on the above date, at 10.30 am in the Committee Suite, County Hall, Exeter EX2 4QD to consider the following matters.

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AGENDA

PART I - OPEN COMMITTEE

- 1 Apologies
- 2 Election of Chairman

The Chairmanship is on a rotational basis with each Council having a Member serve for one year in every three years. Devon and Plymouth have both recently held the Chairmanship and it is therefore Torbay's turn to hold the post of Chairman for one year from the date of this meeting.

3 Election of Vice-Chairman

The Vice-Chairman shall be elected from a Council other than that which currently holds the Chairmanship.

4 <u>Minutes</u> (Pages 1 - 4)

Minutes of the meeting held on 2 March 2016, attached.

5 <u>Devon Audit Partnership Annual Report 2015/16</u> (Pages 5 - 18)

Report of the Head of Devon Audit Partnership (CT/16/51), attached.

6 <u>Devon Audit Partnership 2015/16 Revenue Outturn Position</u> (Pages 19 - 24)

Report of the Head of Devon Audit Partnership (CT/16/49), attached.

7 <u>Devon Audit Partnership - Arrangements post March 2017 (updated August 2016)</u> (Pages 25 - 28)

Updated Report of the Head of Devon Audit Partnership (CT/16/50), attached.

8 <u>Future Meetings</u>

The next meeting is scheduled for Wednesday 16 November 2016. Members are requested to bring their diaries in order for 2017 meeting dates to be arranged.

PART II - ITEMS WHICH MAY BE TAKEN IN THE ABSENCE OF PRESS AND PUBLIC ON THE GROUNDS THAT EXEMPT INFORMATION MAY BE DISCLOSED

Nil

Part II Reports

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MEMBERS ARE REQUESTED TO SIGN THE ATTENDANCE REGISTER

Membership – Comprising two members from Devon, Plymouth and Torbay

County Councillors

Councillors J Clatworthy (Chairman) and R Edgell

Torbay and Plymouth Councils

Councillors A Tyerman, J O'Dwyer, S Leaves and J Mahony

Non-Voting Member with right to speak

Torridge District Council - Councillor P Hackett

Declaration of Interests

Members are reminded that they must declare any interest they may have in any item to be considered at this meeting, prior to any discussion taking place on that item.

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