DEVON COUNTY COUNCIL – COUNTER FRAUD SERVICES UPDATE REPORT FEB 2022 Report of the Director of Finance

Please note that the following recommendations are subject to confirmation by the Committee before taking effect.

Recommendation: that the Committee

1. **Notes** the update report from the Counter Fraud Services Manager (Devon Audit Partnership)

Summary

The attached report from the Counter Fraud Services Manager, Devon Audit Partnership is a direct result of Audit Committee members having requested regular updates on the Council's Counter Fraud activity to improve accountability; this report aims to meet this requirement.

The report details work undertaken and work still required in order to mitigate the challenges posed by fraudulent activity for the Council.

This will now be an ongoing reporting process to the Committee.

Angie Sinclair

Electoral Divisions: All Local Government Act 1972

List of Background Papers

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Background Paper Date File Ref

Nil

There are no equality issues associated with this report