

**REPORT TO: THE MORAY COUNCIL ON 02 JULY 2008**

**SUBJECT: APPOINTMENTS TO OUTSIDE BODIES**

**BY: CHIEF LEGAL OFFICER**

**1. REASON FOR REPORT**

1.1 To invite the Council to consider making appointments to outside bodies to which the Council are entitled to appoint nominees as detailed in the report.

1.2 This report is submitted to Council in terms of Section (II) (10) of the Council's Administrative Scheme relating to Committee structures, distribution of functions and responsibilities.

**2. RECOMMENDATION**

**2.1 It is recommended that the Council consider making appointments to the external bodies listed in Section 4 below.**

**3. BACKGROUND**

3.1 At the meeting of The Moray Council dated 9 May 2008 (paragraph 9 of the Minute refers) appointments were made to external bodies which the Council are entitled to appoint nominees.

3.2 Further to those appointments, Councillor Cree and Councillor Stewart have advised that they wish to withdraw from Grampian Joint Police Board and the Scottish Local Government Forum Against Poverty respectively and have advised that Councillor McGillivray and Councillor Jarvis respectively have intimated their willingness to be appointed to these bodies.

**4. APPOINTMENTS TO OUTSIDE BODIES**

4.1 The Council is requested to consider making an appointment to the following outside organisations:-

(i) **GRAMPIAN JOINT POLICE BOARD**

Name of Current Appointees:- Councillors Ross, Shepherd and Cree  
[Councillors Leadbitter, McDonald and Bell substitute members]

(ii) **SCOTTISH LOCAL GOVERNMENT FORUM AGAINST POVERTY**

Name of Current Appointee:- Councillor Stewart

**5. SUMMARY OF IMPLICATIONS**

**(a) Corporate Development Plan/Community Plan/Service Improvement Plan**

None

**(b) Policy and Legal**

None

**(c) Resources (Financial, Risks, Staffing and Property)**

Allowances for nominated Members attendance at meetings of organisations appointed to is covered in the Councillors & Members Allowance Scheme

**(d) Consultations**

None

**6. CONCLUSION**

**6.1 That the Council consider making appointments to the outside bodies detailed in Section 4 above.**

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Background Papers:

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