



AGENDA ITEM: 10

NORTH WALES FIRE AND RESCUE AUTHORITY ANNUAL MEETING

18th June 2012

AMENDMENTS TO STANDING ORDERS

Report by Colin Everett, Clerk to the Authority

Purpose of Report

- 1 To present the Authority's revised Standing Orders attached at appendix 1.

Background

- 2 At the March 2012 Authority meeting, Members approved minor amendments to the Standing Orders and noted that a fuller review would be undertaken to modernise the Standing Orders in time for the Authority meeting in June.

Information

- 3 The amendments to the Standing Orders are shown in the Appendix as "tracked changes" and in summary have been amended to:-
 - (i) be flexible around meeting dates of the Authority;
 - (ii) be more modern;
 - (ii) include the Audit Committee;
 - (iii) clarify some terminology; and
 - (iv) be re-ordered.

- 4 For information the new Local Government Measure does not apply to Fire and Rescue Authorities and no amendments to standing orders are required as a consequence of the Measure.

Recommendation

- 5 Members are asked to approve the revised Standing Orders.