APPOINTMENTS COMMITTEE

Thursday, 8th January, 2009 at 5.00 p.m. in Committee Room 3 at the Council House, Dudley

PRESENT

Councillor Caunt (Chairman)

Councillors Adams, Ali, Knowles, Mrs Millward, Sparks, Tyler and Mrs Walker.

OFFICERS

Interim Chief Executive, Head of Personnel and Support Services, Assistant Director of Law and Property (Mrs Reilly) and Mr Sanders (Directorate of Law and Property).

30 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

No member declared a personal or prejudicial interest, in accordance with the Members' Code of Conduct, in respect of any matter to be considered at this meeting.

31 MINUTES

RESOLVED

That the minutes of the meeting of the Committee held on 6th November, 2008, be approved as a correct record and signed.

32 <u>EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC</u>

RESOLVED

That the public be excluded from the meeting for the following item of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act, 1972 and, in all the circumstances, the public interest in disclosing the information is outweighed by the public interest in maintaining the exemption from disclosure.

33 POST OF DIRECTOR OF CHILDREN'S SERVICES

The Committee considered applications received for the post of Director of Children's Services.

RESOLVED

That the following be invited for interview for the post:

LH (i), LH (ii), JP, CT, JW

The meeting ended at 5.50 pm.

CHAIRMAN