### **MINUTE**

of

#### **APPEALS COMMITTEE**

Minute of Meeting held at 10.00am in the Committee Room, Council Headquarters, Giffnock on 26 September 2018.

## Present:

Councillor Angela Convery (Chair)

Councillor Barbara Grant

Councillor Betty Cunningham (Vice Chair)

Councillor Annette Ireland

Councillor Convery in the Chair

# **Attending:**

Gerry Mahon, Chief Officer – Legal and Procurement; Jo Loudon, HR Business Partner; and Paul O'Neil, Committee Services Officer.

# Apology:

Councillor Stewart Miller.

## **DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

**608.** There were no declarations of interest intimated.

### **Resolution to Exclude Press and Public**

At this point in the meeting, on the motion of the Chair, the committee unanimously resolved that in accordance with the provisions of Section 50A(4) of the Local Government (Scotland) Act 1973, as amended, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following item of business on the grounds that it involved the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Paragraph 1 of Part I of Schedule 7A to the Act.

### **DISMISSAL APPEAL - ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT - 1/2018**

**609.** The appellant appeared accompanied by a friend, Mr Warrick in connection with his appeal.

Mr Andrew Corry, Head of Environment (Operations) and Ms Saima Nevin, HR Business Partner appeared on behalf of Management.

Both parties made their submissions to the committee and were heard in answer to questions on their submissions, during which Ms Michelle Thomson, Neighbourhood

Services Support Manager, entered the meeting as a witness for management and was heard in response to questions from both parties and elected Members, following which both parties withdrew from the meeting.

Following consideration, both parties were recalled and advised by the Chair that the committee had agreed that the grounds of the appeal had not been substantiated and that the appeal was not upheld.

CHAIR