

## Audit and Standards Committee

1 June 2017

### External Auditors Report – Audit and Standards Committee Update

#### Recommendation

The Audit and Standards Committee is asked to consider and make any comments on the attached External Auditors Update Report (**Appendix A**).

#### 1. Purpose of the Report

- 1.1. The purpose of this report is for our external auditors to provide a report to inform the Council's Audit and Standards Committee of their progress in delivering our responsibilities as our external auditors. The report also includes a summary of emerging national issues and developments and a number of challenge questions in respect of these emerging issues which the Committee may wish to consider.

#### 2. Background Papers

- 2.1. None

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#### Local Members consulted

Not applicable

#### Other Members consulted

None