

## KENT COUNTY COUNCIL

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### COMMUNITIES POLICY OVERVIEW COMMITTEE

MINUTES of a meeting of the Communities Policy Overview Committee held at Sessions House, County Hall, Maidstone on Thursday, 15 May 2008.

PRESENT: Mr T J Birkett, Mr R H C Bliss, Mr G Cowan, Mrs V J Dagger (substitute for Mr A R Chell), Mr D A Hirst, Mrs S V Hohler, Mr R E King, Mr C J Law, Mr R L H Long, Mr M J Northey, Mr G Rowe and Mrs E M Tweed.

IN ATTENDANCE: Mr P D Wickenden, Overview, Scrutiny and Localism Manager; and Miss T A Grayell, Democratic Services Officer.

#### UNRESTRICTED ITEMS

##### 1. Membership

RESOLVED that it be noted that Mr R H C Bliss and Mr R L H Long had joined the Committee in place of Mrs V J Dagger and Mr P W A Lake, and Mr T J Birkett, Mr G Cowan and Mrs E D Rowbotham in place of Mr L Christie and Mr T A Maddison.

*(Note: the Committee was advised that the Labour Group had nominated three Members for two places on the current Committee)*

##### 2. Election of Chairman

*(Item A3)*

Mrs V J Dagger proposed and Mr R E King seconded that Mrs S V Hohler be elected Chairman of the Committee.

*Agreed without a vote*

*Mrs Hohler thereupon took the Chair.*

##### 3. Election of Vice-Chairman

Mr G Cowan proposed and Mr R E King seconded that Mr T J Birkett be elected Vice-Chairman of the Committee.

*Agreed without a vote*

##### 4. Minutes

The Overview, Scrutiny and Localism Manager reported that the Minutes of the meeting of the Communities Policy Overview Committee held on 2 April 2008 would be available for approval at the next meeting of the Committee on 2 June 2008.