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FULL COUNCIL

MECHANICS THEATRE

Wednesday, 28th September, 2022 at 6.30 pm

SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA

a) Constitutional Updates, Reporting and Appointments to Committees

To consider a report and recommendations.

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Political Balance and consequential amendments to Appointments to Committees

1. Following the resignation of Cllr Peter Gill as a member of the Conservative Group, and of Cllr Phil Chamberlain as a member of the authority, the revised political balance is as follows:

| Group | Members | |
|------------------------|---------|--|
| Labour | 18 | |
| Liberal Democrats | 8 | |
| Green | 6 | |
| Conservative | 6 | |
| Burnley & Padiham ind. | 5 | |
| Independent | 1 | |
| Vacancy | 1 | |
| | | |
| TOTAL | 45 | |

2. Allocated places on Committees to reflect the overall political balance of the Council are therefore:

| Committee | Size | Lab | LD | Green | Cons | BPIP |
|---------------------|------|-----|----|-------|------|------|
| Scrutiny | 17 | 7 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 2 |
| Development Control | 16 | 6 | 3 | 3 | 2 | 2 |
| Licensing | 15 | 6 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 |
| Audit and Standards | 9 | 4 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
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| | | | | | | |
| Totals | 57 | 23 | 11 | 8 | 8 | 7 |

(According to legislation those members who are not part of a group (i.e. two or more members) are not entitled to places on committees).

3. Changes required to meet the allocated places above:

| Committee | Change required | Remove | Add |
|---------------------|-------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Scrutiny | Green -1, BPiP +1 | Cllr Hurt | Cllr Mehanna |
| | | Vacancy (Cllr | Cllr Launer |
| Development Control | Con -1, Green +1 | Chamberlain) | Cllr Fewings |
| | | Vacancy (Cllr | |
| Audit and Standards | Con -1, LD +1 | Chamberlain) | Cllr G Lishman |

4. Additional change requested by Green Group

