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## Agenda Item 5j

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Our Ref LP/15117CllrHosker  
Your ref  
Date 15<sup>th</sup> November 2017

Dear Councillor Hosker

### Local Resolution

Thank you for visiting Pat and I yesterday.

Your proposal for a local resolution (set out below) is acceptable to Councillor Townsend. The only paragraph I have added following yesterday's meeting is the final paragraph that was suggested by [REDACTED] on your behalf. I trust that this is acceptable.

*"Councillor Hosker condemns the language used in the video. Councillor Hosker apologised that the video was shared on his Facebook page. He disapproves with the language used in the video and the video has been removed.*

*Whilst this was an error, he has agreed to take the following remedial action to prevent this from reoccurring;*

- *Purchasing audio-equipment for his PC to manage the situation*
- *Personally, managing his County Councillor Facebook page rather than allowing third parties access to it*

*The Investigating Officer was satisfied that Councillor Hosker was not attempting to bring about any reaction (xenophobic or otherwise) that would lead to conflict, divisions or hatred between any groups when posting the video."*

As discussed, in accordance with the Council's policy for dealing with complaints this will be noted in the update report to the next A&S Committee.

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I shall assume that this matter is concluded unless I hear from you in writing within the next 5 days.

Yours sincerely



**Lukman Patel**  
**(Monitoring Officer)**

cc Pat Higginbottom

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