

MINUTES OF JNC INVESTIGATION AND DISCIPLINARY PANEL

Monday, 10 May 2021
(3:00 - 5:58 pm)

Present: Cllr Saima Ashraf, Cllr Elizabeth Kangethe, Cllr Dominic Twomey and Cllr Maureen Worby

Apologies: Cllr Donna Lumsden

1. Appointment of Chair

Councillor Twomey was appointed Chair of the meeting.

2. Declaration of Members' Interests

There were no declarations of interest.

3. Private Business

It was **resolved** to exclude the public and press from the remainder of the meeting by reason of the nature of the business to be discussed which included information exempt from publication by virtue of paragraph 1 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended).

4. Investigation and Disciplinary Panel Assessment

The JNC Investigation and Disciplinary Panel (IDP) was asked to consider allegations against a Senior Officer of the Council in accordance with Part 2, Chapter 4, paragraph 2.1 (xi) of the Constitution.

Having considered the written material, which included the complaint, the officer's written response with supporting documents, and representation at the meeting by the officer, the IDP concluded that there was no evidence in support of the allegations sufficient to require further investigation.

The Panel **resolved** that an independent investigator should not be appointed and that no further action should be taken.