Communications & Corporate Affairs Sub (Policy & Resources) Committee

Date:	**WEDNESDAY, 8 OCTOBER 2025**
Time:	4.00 pm
Venue:	**2ND FLOOR WEST WING, GUILDHALL**

Members:

Jason Groves (Chair)
Deputy Christopher Hayward (Deputy Chairman)
Deputy Emily Benn
Tijs Broeke
Karina Dostalova
Deputy Peter Dunphy
Deputy Helen Fentimen OBE JP
Alderman Prem Goyal CBE

Alderman Timothy Hailes JP
Deputy Caroline Haines
Shravan Joshi MBE
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Ian Thomas CBE
Town Clerk and Chief Executive

AGENDA

Part 1 - Public Agenda

1. **APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

2. **MEMBERS' DECLARATIONS UNDER THE CODE OF CONDUCT IN RESPECT OF ITEMS ON THE AGENDA**

3. **MINUTES**

   To agree the public minutes and non-public summary of the meeting held on 29 May 2025.

   For Decision
   (Pages 7 - 12)

4. **WARD NEWSLETTERS**

   Report of the Chief Strategy Officer.

   For Decision
   (Pages 13 - 16)

5. **2025 ELECTION ENGAGEMENT CAMPAIGN REVIEW**

   Report of the Chief Strategy Officer.

   For Discussion
   (Pages 17 - 32)

6. **CORPORATE COMMUNICATIONS & EXTERNAL AFFAIRS UPDATE REPORT**

   Joint Report of the Chief Strategy Officer and the Remembrancer.

   For Information
   (Pages 33 - 52)

7. **PARLIAMENTARY TEAM UPDATE**

   Report of the Remembrancer.

   For Information
   (Pages 53 - 64)

8. **MEMBERSHIPS AND SUBSCRIPTIONS ANNUAL REPORT**

   Joint Report of the Executive Director of Innovation & Growth, the Chief Strategy Officer, the Remembrancer and the Executive Director, Environment.

   For Information
   (Pages 65 - 76)

9. **INNOVATION AND GROWTH QUARTERLY REPORTS**

    For Information

    a) **Support for UK-based Financial and Professional Service - July to September 2025** (Pages 77 - 88)

        Report of the Executive Director, Innovation & Growth.

    b) **Support for UK-based Financial and Professional Service - April to June 2025** (Pages 89 - 100)

        Report of the Executive Director, Innovation & Growth.

    c) **Support for UK-based Financial and Professional Service - January to March 2025** (Pages 101 - 114)

        Report of the Executive Director, Innovation & Growth.

10. **QUESTIONS ON MATTERS RELATING TO THE WORK OF THE SUB-COMMITTEE**

11. **ANY OTHER BUSINESS THAT THE CHAIRMAN CONSIDERS URGENT**

12. **EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC**

    MOTION - That under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that they involve the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in Part I of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act.

    For Decision

    Part 2 - Non-Public Agenda

13. **NON-PUBLIC MINUTES**

    To agree the non-public minutes of the meeting held on 29 May 2025.

    For Decision
    (Pages 115 - 116)

14. **NON-PUBLIC QUESTIONS ON MATTERS RELATING TO THE WORK OF THE SUB-COMMITTEE**

15. **ANY OTHER BUSINESS THAT THE CHAIRMAN CONSIDERS URGENT AND WHICH THE SUB COMMITTEE AGREES SHOULD BE CONSIDERED WHILST THE PUBLIC ARE EXCLUDED**

Part 3 - Confidential Agenda

16. **CONFIDENTIAL MINUTES**

To agree the confidential minutes of the meeting held on 29 May 2025.

For Decision