# MINUTES OF A MEETING OF THE APPEALS PANEL HELD IN COMMITTEE ROOM 2.3, CIVIC OFFICES, ANGEL STREET, BRIDGEND ON MONDAY, 13 AUGUST 2012 AT 10.00 AM

#### Present:

Councillor R D Jenkins - Chairperson

### Councillors

E Dodd C Westwood

#### Officers:

K Watson - Legal Officer

C Luff - Human Resources Adviser to the Panel

A Rees - Senior Democratic Services Officer - Committees

#### 16 DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

A Rees - Senior Democratic Services Officer - Committees informed the Panel that a former employee named in the report of the Investigating Officer is a close friend of his but felt that his position in terms of his role of minuting would not prejudice or compromise the Panel.

#### 17 <u>EXCLUSION OF THE PUBLIC</u>

## RESOLVED:

That under Section 100A(4) of the Local Government Act 1972 as amended by the Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) (Wales) Order 2007 the following item is not for publication as it contains exempt information as defined in Paragraph 12 of Part 4 of Schedule 12A of the Act:-

Following the application of the Public Interest test it was resolved that in all the circumstances the public interest in maintaining this exemption outweighed the public interest in disclosing the information, because disclosure of the information at this time will be prejudicial to the Appellant's case:-

## Minute No. Summary of Item:

To consider an Appeal against dismissal by a former employee of the Communities Directorate.