



meeting **COUNTY COUNCIL**

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REPORT OF THE CHIEF EXECUTIVE

MEMBERSHIP OF THE COUNCIL AND APPOINTMENTS TO THE EXECUTIVE AND COMMITTEES

1. Purpose of the Report

- 1.1 To report on the outcome of the by-election held in the Sutton-in-Ashfield North Division on 22nd March 2007 and on the implications for the overall political balance of the Council.

2. Information and Advice

- 2.1 Further to the information contained in the report in the Council Book, I am now able to report that at the by-election in the Sutton-in-Ashfield North Division held on 22nd March 2007 was elected County Councillor for that Division. Councillor xxx is a member of xxx Group on the Council.
- 2.2 The effect of this result on the overall political balance of the Council is set out in Appendix B to this report. This exercise results in marginal changes to the figures reported to the last meeting of the Council and it is not necessary, therefore, for the Council to further review the allocation of seats on Committees at this time.

3. Statutory and Policy Implications

This report has been compiled after consideration of implications in respect of finance, equal opportunities, personnel, crime and disorder and those using the service and where such implications are material they have been described in the text of the report.

4. RECOMMENDATION

That the report be noted;

ROGER LATHAM
CHIEF EXECUTIVE

Financial Comments of the Strategic Director (Resources) (NS)

These are as set out in the report in the Council Book.

Legal Services Comments (JMF .3.07)

These are as set out in the report in the Council Book.

Background Papers Available for Inspection

Election results.

Electoral Divisions Affected

Sutton-in-Ashfield North.