

## Appendix D

### **APPOINTMENT OF ACTING DIRECTOR OF FINANCE (CHIEF FINANCE OFFICER / SECTION 151 OFFICER)**

1. The Constitution provides that the Head of Paid Service has authority over all other chief officers so far as is necessary for efficient management and for carrying out the Council's functions. This includes the ability to make interim appointments of chief officers where there is a need for an immediate appointment.

2. The Chief Executive has, under delegated powers, made an interim appointment of an Acting Director of Finance (Chief Finance Officer / Section 151 Officer) for a period of up to a year to cover a period of maternity leave of the substantive post holder:

<http://barnet.moderngov.co.uk/ieDecisionDetails.aspx?ID=6796> Council is asked to note this appointment.

**RECOMMEND – That Council note Mr Kevin Bartle has been appointed as Acting Director of Finance (Chief Finance Officer / Section 151 Officer).**