KIRKLEES COUNCIL

REPORT TO: Annual Council

DATE: 21 May 2008

AREA COMMITTEE/WARDS AFFECTED: All

TITLE: Spokespersons of Joint Committees and External Bodies

IS THIS AN URGENT ACTION APPROVED BY THE CHAIR OF SCRUTINY: No

WHAT ARE THE KEY POINTS?

Under Council Procedure Rules oral questions may be asked at Council meetings of Council Members appointed to the undermentioned joint Committees/external bodies namely:

Kirklees Neighbourhood Housing
Kirklees Active Leisure
West Yorkshire Passenger Transport Authority
West Yorkshire Fire and Rescue Authority
West Yorkshire Police Authority
Joint Services Committee
Leeds City Region Leaders' Board

For this purpose spokespersons are appointed to respond to oral questions on behalf of each body.

RECOMMENDATION:

That the Annual Meeting nominates a Council Member as a spokesperson for each of the above organisations to reply to oral questions at Council meetings and that, in the absence of doing this at Annual Council Meeting for any such organisation, the matter be referred to Group Business Managers for nomination and subsequent report/ratification at the next of the Council.

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Background Papers: None.

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