

## **Minutes of the meeting of Employment Panel held at Herefordshire Council Offices, Plough Lane, Hereford, HR4 0LE on Monday 7 April 2025 at 12.30 pm**

**Present:** Councillor Jonathan Lester (chairperson)  
Councillor Diana Toynbee (vice-chairperson)

**Councillors:** Liz Harvey, Pete Stoddart and Ben Proctor

**Officers:** Democratic Services Officer, Director of HR and OD and Chief Executive

### **8. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE**

Apologies were received from Councillor Claire Davies and Councillor Terry James.

### **9. NAMED SUBSTITUTES (IF ANY)**

Councillor Ben Proctor was substitute for Councillor Terry James.

### **10. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST**

No declarations of interest were made.

### **11. MINUTES**

The minutes of the meetings held on 12 December 2024 and 16 January 2025 were approved as an accurate record and signed by the chairperson.

### **12. QUESTIONS FROM MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC**

There were no public questions received.

### **13. QUESTIONS FROM COUNCILLORS**

There were no questions received from Councillors.

### **14. APPOINTMENT OF DIRECTOR OF FINANCE**

**Resolved that subject to no valid objections being received from cabinet members by 3pm on 8 April, Rachael Sanders was appointed as Director of Finance.**

The meeting ended at 12.34 pm

**Chairperson**