

Alternative options considered:

The Panel considered whether to continue in the absence of the Town Council Member's representative however the Panel concluded that to do so would not be in the interests of holding a fair hearing.

The reason for the decision:

The Panel concluded that, in the interests of holding a fair hearing and to enable the Town Council Member to make appropriate arrangements for his representation or to adequately prepare to represent himself, the meeting would be adjourned.

THE DECISION:

That Panel concluded the matter should be adjourned to a date and time to be confirmed.

The meeting closed at 1.25 pm

Chairman of the Panel