

### **Belfast City Council**

**Report to:** Strategic Policy and Resources Committee

**Subject:** Standing Order 55 – Employment of Relatives

**Date:** 18 April 2008

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## Relevant Background Information

To inform the Committee of delegated authority exercised by the Director of Corporate Services to the employment of individuals who are related to existing officers of the Council.

The Director of Corporate Services has authorised the appointment of the following individuals who are related to existing officers of the Council in accordance with the authority delegated to him by the Policy and Resources (Personnel) Sub-Committee on 27 June, 2005. The Committee is asked to note the appointments authorised by the Director under Standing Order 55.

NAME OF NEW EMPLOYEE	POST APPOINTED TO	RELATIONSHIP TO EXISTING OFFICER	NAME OF EXISTING OFFICER	DEPARTMENT
Anthony Clarke	Casual Leisure Attendant	Brother	Andrew Steenson	Parks and Leisure
Karen Doherty	Casual Leisure Attendant	Daughter	Edward Joseph Doherty	Parks & Leisure
Joseph Carson	Operations Supervisor (Transport and Priority Waste)	Brother	Martin Carson	Corporate Services

### **Resource Implications**

#### Financial

Provision for these posts exist within the revenue budgets of the relevant departments.

**Human Resources** 

There are no Human Resource considerations. All appointments have been made on the basis of merit in accordance with the Council's Recruitment Policies.

**Asset and Other Implications** 

There are no other implications.

# Recommendations

Committee is asked to note the appointments authorised by the Director of Corporate Services in accordance with Standing Order 55.