

# **Belfast City Council**

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

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

Date: 24 January 2014

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# **Relevant Background Information**

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

The Director of Finance and Resources has authorised the appointment of the following individual who is related to an existing officer 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 appointment is authorised by the Director under Standing Order 55.

NAME OF NEW EMPLOYEE	POST APPOINTED TO	RELATIONSHIP TO EXISTING OFFICER	NAME OF EXISTING OFFICER	DEPARTMENT
Andrea Patton	Business Support Clerk (Job share)	Daughter	Rose Patton	Parks & Leisure

# **Resource Implications**

#### Financial

Provision for this post exists within the revenue budgets of the relevant department.

### **Human Resources**

There are no Human Resource considerations. The appointment has 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 appointment is authorised by the Director of Finance and Resources in accordance with Standing Order 55.