

## HIGH PEAK BOROUGH COUNCIL

### Report to Audit & Regulatory Committee

24 July 2019

<b>TITLE:</b>	<b>Membership of Constitution Sub-Committee</b>
<b>EXECUTIVE COUNCILLOR:</b>	<b>Councillor Barrow - Executive Councillor for Corporate Services and Finance</b>
<b>CONTACT OFFICER:</b>	<b>Linden Vernon – Senior Officer (Governance and Member Support)</b>
<b>WARDS INVOLVED:</b>	<b>Non-Specific</b>

#### Appendices Attached – None

#### 1. Reason for the Report

- 1.1 To appoint members to the Constitution Sub-Committee to conduct an on-going review of the Council's Constitution and to make recommendations to the Audit and Regulatory Committee.

#### 2. Recommendation

- 2.1 That members be appointed to the Constitution Sub-Committee.

#### 3. Executive Summary

- 3.1 Following the elections in May 2019 it is necessary to re-appoint members to the Council's Constitution Sub-Committee to review and recommend changes to elements of the Authority's Constitution. It is proposed that the Sub-Committee comprises 5 councillors, appointed in accordance with the political balance requirements.

#### 4. How this report links to Corporate Priorities

- 4.1 Not applicable.

## 5. **Alternative Options**

5.1 There are no options to consider.

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### **Web Links and Background Papers**

Council Constitution

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## 6. **Detail**

6.1 Article 14 of the Council's Constitution governs the way in which the authority's Constitution is reviewed and revised. Amendments are ordinarily considered in the first instance by the Constitution Sub-Committee which then makes recommendations to the Audit & Regulatory Committee and on to Full Council where required.

6.2 Following the elections in May 2019 it is necessary to re-appoint members to the Sub-Committee. It is proposed that this comprises 3 Labour councillors, 2 Conservative councillors and 1 Liberal Democrat councillor.