

Item 2

Election of Chairman

Purpose of the report

1. To invite the General Assembly to elect an LGA Chairman for 2012/2013.

Background

2. The LGA's Constitution (Article 8.4a) provides for the General Assembly at its Annual Meeting each year to elect from amongst the members representing full member authorities, a Chairman of the Local Government Association. Under Article 8.6 the largest political group will take the Chair of the Association. Under Article 8.8 the Chairman of the Association also holds the equivalent office on the LGA Executive and the LGA Leadership Board.

Recommendation

That the General Assembly elects a Chairman of the Association on the nomination of the Conservative Group, which is the largest political group in the Association.

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