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To: Chairman & Members of the Audit Committee Our Ref: CS/JD

(Cllrs Bramble, Bruce-Spencer, Gorman, Jones and Pennington);

cc: Cllr Wright (Executive Member)
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10 July 2013

Dear Councillor

A meeting of the **Audit Committee** will be held in the **Cary Room**, Follaton House, Plymouth Road, Totnes on **Thursday 18 July 2013 at 2.00 p.m.** when your attendance is requested.

Yours sincerely

Jo Doney Member Support Officer

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AGENDA

- 1. **Minutes** to approve as a correct record and authorise the Chairman to sign the minutes of the Audit Committee held on 13 June 2013 (pages 1 to 6);
- 2. **Urgent Business** brought forward at the discretion of the Chairman;
- 3. **Division of Agenda** to consider whether the discussion of any item of business is likely to lead to the disclosure of exempt information;
- 4. **Declarations of Interest** Members are invited to declare any personal or prejudicial interests, including the nature and extent of such interests, they may have in any items to be considered at this meeting;

- 5. **System of Internal Control and Annual Governance Statement** to consider a report that provides Members with information to enable them to independently examine the draft Annual Governance Statement and the supporting process and assurance streams (pages 7 to 35);
- 6. **Draft Statement of Accounts 2012/13** to consider a report which presents a summary of net revenue and capital expenditure (pages 36 to 144).
- N.B. Legal and financial officers will not, as a general rule, be present throughout all meetings, but will be on standby if required. Members are requested to advise Member Support Services in advance of the meeting if they require any information of a legal or financial nature.

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