

Notice of public rights and publication of unaudited Annual Return



Accounts for the year ended 31st March 2017

Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 ss26 & 27 and The Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015 (SI2015/234)

Date of announcement: **23rd June 2017**

Each year, the Council's Annual Return is reviewed by an external auditor appointed by the Audit Commission. The unaudited [Annual Return](#) has been published with this notice. As it has yet to be reviewed by the appointed Auditor, it is subject to change as a result of that review.

Any person interested has the right to inspect and make copies of the accounting records for the financial year to which the audit relates and all books, deeds, contracts, bills, vouchers and receipts and other documents relating to those records must be made available for inspection by any person interested.

For the year ended 31st March 2016 these documents will be available on reasonable notice on application to

The Town Clerk, Town Hall, High Street, LEWES East Sussex, BN7 2QS

Between the hours of

9:00 am and 5:00 pm Mondays to Thursdays, and 9:00 am and 4:00 pm on Fridays

commencing on **26th June 2017**

and ending on **4th August 2017**

Local Government electors and their representatives also have

- > the opportunity to question the appointed auditor about the accounting records; and
- > the right to make an objection which concerns a matter in respect of which the appointed auditor could either make a public interest report or apply to the court for a declaration that an item of account is unlawful. Written notice of an objection must first be given to the auditor and a copy sent to the Council.

The appointed auditor can be contacted at the address given below for this purpose between the above dates only.

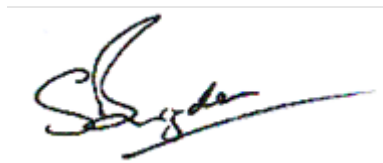
The Council's Annual return is subject to review by the appointed Auditor under the provisions of the Local Audit and Accountability Act 2014 and the Accounts and Audit Regulations 2015 and the National Audit Office's Code of Audit Practice 2015.

The appointed auditor is:

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This announcement is made by



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Town Clerk & Responsible Finance Officer

23rd June 2017