Appointments and Employment Committee

Written question from Cllr Geoff Brodie to the Chairman of the Appointments and Employment Committee.

In the light of the recent media coverage of the Chair of this Committee's now admitted but unapologised publishing of a racially offensive image on social media, how can every opponent of discrimination be assured that full adherence to the Council's Equality & Diversity policy will be applied to this Committee's appointment of a new Director of Adult Social Care and Housing Needs under her chairmanship?

Response

As a result of my life and especially my recent experiences, I can assure the committee I will be especially vigilant in making sure the highest standards of fairness are applied in considering individuals of all protected characteristics who might apply for this role.