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# Thursday 11th March 2021 10.30 am Microsoft Teams

# Membership:

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# 1 Apologies for Absence

#### 2 **Public Question Time**

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Please note that all statements and questions must relate to matters that fall within the Panel's statutory functions and responsibilities.

#### 3 **Declarations of Interest**

The Statutory Register of Member's Interests can be inspected by contacting Patricia Jones in the Democratic Services Team on Tel: 07855 284506 or <u>PLjones@somerset.gov.uk</u>.

# 4 Chairs Business

# 5 **Commissioner's Update Report** (Pages 7 - 66)

- 6 Assurance Reports (Pages 67 102)
  - 1. Domestic Abuse
  - 2. Equality and Disproportionality
  - 3. Adults at Risk
- 7 **Performance Monitoring Report** (Pages 103 116)
- 8 Standing Complaints Report (Pages 117 120)

9 Work Programme (Pages 121 - 124)

# 10 Date of Next Meeting

Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> March 2021 at 10am.