

REPORT FOR DECISION



DECISION OF:	Audit Committee – 17th February 2026 The Council – 21st February 2026
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SUBJECT:	Audit Committee Terms of Reference
REPORT FROM:	Chloe Ashworth - Assistant Democratic Service Manager
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TYPE OF DECISION:	Non key decision
FREEDOM OF INFORMATION/STATUS:	This paper is within the public domain.
SUMMARY:	This report provides a Terms of Reference for Bury Council's Audit Committee
OPTIONS & RECOMMENDED OPTION	1. To approve the Terms of Reference 2. To propose amendments to the proposed Terms of Reference 3. To not approve the Terms of Reference.
IMPLICATIONS:	No implications.
Corporate Aims/Policy Framework:	Yes
Statement by the S151 Officer: Financial Implications and Risk Considerations:	
Equality/Diversity implications:	N/A
Considered by Monitoring Officer:	

Wards Affected:	All Wards.
Scrutiny Interest:	

1.0 Background

- 1.1 In line with Bury Council's published Constitution, there is a requirement for there to be Audit Committee Terms of Reference and to review them regularly.
- 1.2 The attached Terms of Reference set out in detail the Audit Committee membership, function, key responsibilities, meeting frequency and quoracy.
- 1.3 Attached are the proposed Terms of Reference for the Audit Committee.

2.0 Recommendation(s)

That Audit Committee:

1. Recommend to full Council the updated Terms of Reference for the Audit Committee and recommend that the Constitution be updated to reflect these.

That Council:

2. Approve the updated Terms of Reference for the Audit Committee, and the Constitution be updated to reflect these.

List of Background Papers:-

None identified

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