# CONTRACT SCRUTINY PANEL AGENDA



#### Monday 18<sup>th</sup> September 2006

at 10:00 am

in Committee Room 'C'

MEMBERS: CONTRACT SCRUTINY PANEL:

Councillors Johnson, Lilley, London, A Marshall and Wistow

- 1. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE
- 2. TO RECEIVE ANY DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST BY MEMBERS
- 3. MINUTES
  - 3.1 To confirm the minutes of the meeting held on 21<sup>st</sup> August 2006 (*attached*)
- 4. ITEMS FOR INFORMATION

No items

5. ITEMS FOR DECISION

No items

- 6. ANY OTHER ITEMS WHICH THE CHAIRMAN CONSIDERS ARE URGENT
- 7. LOCAL GOVERNMENT (ACCESS TO INFORMATION) ACT 1985

#### **EXEMPT ITEMS**

Under Section 100(A)(4) of the Local Government Act 1972, the press and public be excluded from the meeting for the following items of business on the grounds that it involves the likely disclosure of exempt information as defined in the paragraphs referred to below of Part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 as amended by the Local Government (Access to Information) (Variation) Order 2006

#### 8. ITEMS FOR INFORMATION

No items

#### 9. **OPENING OF TENDERS**

- 9.1 Opening of Tenders for War Memorials *Building Consultancy Manager*
- 9.2 Opening of Tenders for the Supply and Maintenance of Fire Extinguishers and Equipment Head of Procurement and Property Services

### 10. ANY OTHER CONFIDENTIAL ITEMS WHICH THE CHAIRMAN CONSIDERS ARE URGENT

#### **CONTRACT SCRUTINY PANEL**

#### MINUTES AND DECISION RECORD

21st August, 2006

PRESENT: Councillor Geoff Lilley (in the Chair)

Councillors Jonathan Brash, Gordon Henery and Lilian

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OFFICERS: Alison Mawson, Head of Community Safety and Prevention

Pauline Newton, Principal Legal Executive Jo Wilson, Democratic Services Officer

#### 30. APOLOGIES FOR ABSENCE

None

#### 31. DECLARATIONS OF INTEREST

None

# 32. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 7<sup>th</sup> August 2006

Agreed

## 33. COMMUNITY SECURITY CONTRACT – SHORTLIST NOMINEES FOR INVITATION TO TENDER – Head of Community Safety and Prevention

#### **Purpose of Report**

To inform members of progress in the re-tender of the current Security Contract and to seek approval of nominees for Invitation to Tender

#### Issues for Panels' consideration

Members were informed that the current contract would expire on 30<sup>th</sup> September, 2006. This followed agreement of a six-month extension with Reay Security to enable finalisation of the review of current and potential security guarding provision.

Twenty expressions of interest, by way of completed pre-qualification questionnaires, had been received by the final submission date of 7<sup>th</sup> July 2006. A panel to appraise these questionnaires was convened from which a recommended short-list of companies had been compiled who would be invited to tender. Detailed information on the appraisal process was given in the report.

#### Decision

That the Contract Scrutiny Panel approve the nomination of the following companies to submit a tender for consideration for the Community Security Contract:

Chubb Security Personnel Ltd
N.E.S Services Ltd
Hartlepool
Northern Security Ltd
Pro-Line Secs (U.K.) Ltd
Protector Group
Reay Security Ltd
Shiremoor
Hartlepool
Gateshead
Hartlepool

**G LILLEY** 

**CHAIR**