

Agenda

3:15 Tuesday 14 April 2015

Chief Executive's Board Room

Waverley Court, East Market Street

Edinburgh EH8 8BG

MEETING ADMIN

1.0 Admin/Note of Previous Meeting 10 March 2015 /Apologies/Matters Arising *(circulated)*

BOARD WORK PROGRAMME

- **2.0** SIR Devolution (Further Powers) Committee (*circulated*)
- 3.0 Registration Update including IER
 - 3.1 Poll Cards
- 4.0 UK Parliamentary General Election 7 May 2015
 - 4.1 Practical Issues Nominations, Polling, Postal Votes, Count, Media etc.
 - 4.2 Electoral Commission Update

4.2.1 Guidance note on (A)ROs' fee (circulated)

- 4.3 Finance Fees and Charges from Cabinet Office (update)
- 4.4 Contingency Planning
- 4.5 **Police Guidance on Security** (circulated)
- 5.0 Scottish Parliamentary Election 5 May 2016 Update from Scottish Government
 - 5.1 Scottish Elections (Reduction in Voting Age) Bill



6.0 eCounting for 2017 Local Government Elections

- 6.1 Update from Scottish Government
- 6.2 Update from Local Government Liaison Consultant (circulated)
- 7.0 Other Electoral Events
 - 7.1 Potential UK Referendum
- 8.0 Issues raised by Election Teams across Scotland
 - 8.1 Forms/Guidance for 2016
 - 8.2 Commonly Used Names
 - 8.3 Display of Campaign Materials

EMB ROLE, RESOURCES

- 9.0 EMB Role in the context of further devolution
- 10.0 EMB Resources

INFORMATION

- 11.0 Regional Returning Officers' Group and associated meetings
 - **11.1 UK Electoral Advisory Board** –*Update from Convener*
 - 11.2 EPCG
 - **11.3 Elections & Registrations Working Group** Update from Secretary
 - **11.4 Scottish Political Parties Panel –** *Update from Convener / Secretary*
- 12.0 AOB
- 13.0 Date of Next Meeting

29 May 2015