



**Belfast City Council**

<b>Report to:</b>	Strategic Policy and Resources Committee
<b>Subject:</b>	Standing Order 55 – Employment of Relatives
<b>Date:</b>	20 June 2008
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**Relevant Background Information**

To inform the Committee of delegated authority exercised by the Director of Corporate Services to the employment of individuals who are related to existing officers of the Council.

The Director of Corporate Services has authorised the appointment of the following individuals who are related to existing officers of the Council in accordance with the authority delegated to him by the Policy and Resources (Personnel) Sub-Committee on 27 June, 2005. The Committee is asked to note the appointments authorised by the Director under Standing Order 55.

NAME OF NEW EMPLOYEE	POST APPOINTED TO	RELATIONSHIP TO EXISTING OFFICER	NAME OF EXISTING OFFICER	DEPARTMENT
Shane McBrien	Industrial Placement – Estates Management	Nephew	Edith McConway	Corporate Services
		Nephew	Kevin McConway	Health & Environmental Services
Claire McMaster	Playworker	Daughter	Kathleen McMaster	Development
		Sister	Philip McMaster	Parks & Leisure
		Niece	Pamela Hodgson	Development

**Resource Implications**

Financial

Provision for these posts exist within the revenue budgets of the relevant departments.

Human Resources

There are no Human Resource considerations. All appointments have been made on the basis of merit in accordance with the Council's Recruitment Policies.

Asset and Other Implications

There are no other implications.

**Recommendations**

Committee is asked to note the appointments authorised by the Director of Corporate Services in accordance with Standing Order 55.

**Key to Abbreviations**

None.

**Documents Attached**

None.