



Belfast City Council

Report to: Strategic Policy and Resources Committee

Subject: **Standing Order 55 – Employment of Relatives**

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Relevant Background Information

To inform the Committee of delegated authority exercised by the Director of Finance and Resources to the employment or agency engagement of individuals who are related to existing officers of the Council.

The Director of Finance and Resources has authorised the appointment or agency engagement 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 are authorised by the Director under Standing Order 55.

Appointees:

NAME OF NEW EMPLOYEE	POST APPOINTED TO	RELATIONSHIP TO EXISTING OFFICER	NAME OF EXISTING OFFICER	DEPARTMENT
Samuel Craig	Recycling Operative	Son	Brian Craig	H&E Services
Alison Sterrett	Business Support Clerk	Sister	Alex Sterrett	H&E Services
John Paul Donaldson	Recycling Operative (Permanent P/T)	Son	John Donaldson	H&E Services
Luke Oakes	Industrial Placement (Building Control)	Son	Jean Oakes	Chief Executive's
Kyle Mullan	Business Support Clerk	Nephew	Jennifer Carson	Development

Resource Implications**Financial**

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

Human Resources

There are no Human Resource considerations. The 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

Recommendation

The Committee is requested to note the appointments or agency engagement as authorised by the Director of Finance and Resources in accordance with Standing Order 55.