

EAST AYRSHIRE COUNCIL

EMERGENCY POWERS COMMITTEE - 18 JULY 2005

APSE ANNUAL SEMINAR AND EXHIBITION - 6-9 SEPTEMBER 2005 - GLASGOW

Report by Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

- 1.1** The purpose of the report is to advise the Committee of an invitation for the Council to be represented at the APSE Annual Seminar and Awards 2005 from 6-9 September 2005 at the Royal Concert Hall, Glasgow.

2. BACKGROUND

- 2.1** This year's conference is entitled "Excellence, Efficiencies and Neighbourhoods: Paradox or Panacea" and will include many high profile Local Government speakers.

- 2.2** APSE Annual Service Awards have, once again, been incorporated into the conference. There have been over 500 submissions for the 16 categories being received.

3. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

- 3.1** The full delegate fee for APSE members is £398.33 inclusive of VAT. Accommodation costs are additional.

4. LEGAL/POLICY IMPLICATIONS - Nil.

5. RECOMMENDATIONS

- 5.1** The Committee is invited to:-

- (i) consider the level of representation at the conference; and
- (ii) otherwise, to note the contents of the report.

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Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support

CB/SM
14 July 2005

LIST OF BACKGROUND PAPERS

1. Invitation from APSE to attend the conference.

Any person wishing to inspect the background papers relative to this report should contact Christine Baillie, Administrative Officer on Tel No (01563) 576129. Any person wishing further information on this report should contact Elizabeth Morton, Depute Chief Executive/Executive Director of Corporate Support on Tel No (01563) 576013.

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