

## AGENDA

### Audit and Risk Assurance Committee

A meeting of the Audit and Risk Assurance Committee will take place as follows:

**Date:** Wednesday 19 June 2024

**Time:** 2pm

**Venue:** Videoconference (Microsoft Teams)

Please contact the Committee Secretary by email to [secretariat@hcpc-uk.org](mailto:secretariat@hcpc-uk.org) if you are unable to attend or in the case of any enquiries.

	Lead	Format	Time
<b>Meeting of the Committee members with internal and external auditors and National Audit Office</b>	Committee Chair		2.00
<b>Public meeting</b>			
1. <b>Welcome and introduction</b>	Committee Chair	Verbal	2.30
2. <b>Apologies for absence</b>	Committee Secretary	Verbal	
3. <b>Approval of agenda</b> To approve the agenda, including agreement to any change to the order of business at the meeting	Committee Chair	Verbal	
4. <b>Declaration of members' interests in relation to agenda items</b> To disclose any personal interest in any matter under consideration at the meeting, whether or not declared previously	Committee Chair	Verbal	
5. <b>Minutes of the Audit and Risk Assurance Committee meeting held in public on 13 March 2024</b> To approve	Committee Secretary	Paper	2.35
6. <b>Matters arising</b> To note the responses to the actions from the previous meeting(s) held in public	Committee Secretary	Paper	

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<b>Risk and assurance</b>				
7.	<b>Strategic risk register</b> To discuss	Head of Assurance and Compliance	Paper	2.40
8.	<b>Strategic risk deep dive: cybersecurity</b> To discuss	Chief Information Security and Risk Officer	Presentation	2.50
9.	<b>Annual Information Governance Report 2023-24</b> To discuss	Chief Information Security and Risk Officer	Paper	3.00
10.	<b>Unified assurance annual summary 2023-24</b> To note	Head of Assurance and Compliance/ Chief Information Security and Risk Officer	Paper	3.10
<b>Internal audit</b>				
11.	<b>Internal audit progress report</b> To discuss	BDO LLP	Paper	3.15
12.	<b>Internal Audit Annual Report and Opinion 2023-24</b> To note	BDO LLP	Paper	3.20
13.	<b>Internal audit recommendations tracker</b> To note	Compliance Officer	Paper	3.25
<b>External audit and Annual Report and Accounts</b>				
14.	<b>Audit planning report 2023-24</b> To discuss	NAO	Paper	3.30
15.	<b>External audit update</b> To discuss	Haysmacintyre LLP	Verbal	3.40
16.	<b>Annual report and accounts 2023-24 update including draft annual report 2023-24</b> To discuss	Executive Director of Resources	Paper	3.50
17.	<b>Audit and Risk Assurance Committee annual report to the Council and the Accounting Officer 2023-24</b> To approve	Head of Governance	Paper	4.00

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<p>18. <b>Resolution to move the meeting to private session</b>            To resolve that the remainder of the meeting will be held in private because the matters being discussed relate to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• matters which, in the opinion of the Chair, are confidential or the public disclosure of which would prejudice the effective discharge of the Committee's or Council's functions;</li> <li>• action being taken to prevent or detect crime or to prosecute offenders in the case of item 22; or</li> <li>• the terms of, or expenditure under, a tender or contract for the purchase or supply of goods or services in the case of item 23.</li> </ul> <p><b>Private meeting</b></p>	Committee Chair	Verbal	
<p>19. <b>Minutes of the Audit and Risk Assurance Committee meeting held in private on 13 March 2024</b>            To approve</p>	Committee Secretary	Paper	4.05
<p>20. <b>Matters arising</b>            To note the responses to the actions from the previous meeting(s) held in private</p>	Committee Secretary	Paper	
<p>21. <b>Unified assurance report</b>            To discuss</p>	Head of Assurance and Compliance/ Chief Information Security and Risk Officer	Paper	4.10
<p>22. <b>BSI ISO27001 Information Security Re-certification and Transition Report</b>            To note</p>	Chief Information Security and Risk Officer	Paper	4.20
<p>23. <b>External auditor appointment</b>            To discuss</p>	Executive Director of Resources	Verbal	4.25
<p>24. <b>Any other business</b>            To be notified to and agreed by the Chair</p>	Committee Chair	Verbal	

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25. <b>Close</b> Date and time of next meeting: 18 September 2024 at 2pm (HCPC Offices London)	Committee Chair		4.30