

Yorkshire Ambulance Service MHS

NHS Trust

MEETING TITLE Board of Directors			MEETING DATE 28/03/2017			
TITLE of PAPER		For Approval: Compliance With Standing Orders, Reservation and Delegation of Powers V.2.3, January 2017		PAPER REF		Item 5.2
STRATEGIC OBJECTIVE(S)		All				
PURPOSE OF THE PAPER		 That, in compliance with the Standing Orders, Reservation and Delegation of Powers (SOs), V2.3, January 2017 the Board of Directors approves the: i. appointment of a Committee Chairperson to each of the Committees reporting to the Board of Directors; and ii. Terms of Reference of the Trust Executive Group. 				
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For Decision			Discussion/Inform			
AUTHOR / LEAD		Trust Secretary	ACCOUNTABLE DIRECTOR		f Executive xt – i.e. please provide	
The Trust's Standing Orders and St approved by the Board of Directors, PREVIOUSLY AGREED AT:		ors, 31 January 2	31 January 2017 Committee/Group:		Date: 31/01/2017	
RECOMMENDATION(S)		Delegatio Directors i. ap Co	That, in compliance with the Standing Orders, Reservation and Delegation of Powers, V2.3, January 2017 the Board of Directors approves the:i. appointment of a Committee Chairperson to each of the Committees reporting to the Board of Directors; and ii. Terms of Reference of the Trust Executive Group.			
RISK ASSESSME	NT				Yes	No
Corporate Risk Register and/or Board Assurance Framework amended If 'Yes' – expand in Section 4. / attached paper						
Resource Implications (Financial, Workforce, other - specify) If 'Yes' – expand in Section 2. / attached paper						
Legal implications/Regulatory requirements If 'Yes' – expand in Section 2. / attached paper						
Diversity and Inclusion Implications If 'Yes' – please attach to the back of this paper						
ASSURANCE/COMPLIANCE						

Care Quality Commission	5: Well led
Choose a DOMAIN(s)	2: Effective
NHSI Single Oversight Framework Choose a THEME(s)	1. All

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1. PURPOSE/AIM

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2. BACKGROUND/CONTEXT

- 2.1 The Trust's Standing Orders, Reservation and Delegation of Powers and Standing Financial Instructions, V2.3, January 2017 were approved by the Board of Directors, 31 January 2017 [the Board].
- 2.2 As part of the governance process the Board approved the Terms of Reference (TOR) of the following Committees, and are now requested to aprove the appointment of each of their Chairpersons in line with SO 4.6.1 to 4.6.6 inclusive:

Audit Committee	Mr Barrie Senior, NED*		
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Finance & Investment Committee	Mr John Nutton, NED		
Quality Committee	Mrs Pat Drake, NED		
Charitable Funds Committee	Mrs E Mahmood, NED		
Remuneration & Terms of Service Committee	Mrs K Lavery,		
	YAS Chairman		

- * NED: Non-Executive Director on the Board of Directors of Yorkshire Ambulance Service NHS Trust
- 2.3 The TOR of the Trust Executive Group (TEG) also requires Board approval given, broadly the role of the Board is to set strategy and the TEG to deliver it, through the device of its TOR (attached).

3. PROPOSALS/NEXT STEPS

3.1 Following approval of the Board these decisions will be appropriately disseminated to internal and (restricted) external stakeholders including Internal Audit.

4. RISK ASSESSMENT

4.1 If the Trust were not to comply with its SOs it may risk compromising its duties and obligations to the Secretary of State for Health, including those contained

in the NHS Constitution, NHS England, NHS Improvement and regulators, for example the Care Quality Commission, together with potential non-compliance with relevant legislation and regulation.

5. **RECOMMENDATIONS**

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6. APPENDICES/BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Draft Terms of Reference of the Trust Executive Group