Audit and Risk Committee MINUTES | PART A 29 February 2024 HYBRID | Council Meeting Room and via Zoom 08.00am to 11.00am



Present: Jonathan Mason (Chair), Cecilia Tarrant, Jan Dawson

In Attendance: Professor Dawn Freshwater, Adrienne Cleland, Tim Bluett, Rachelle Miller. Brent Penrose, Isti Hudaya, Bineeta Nand, Murtaza Ali, Andrew Phipps, Angus Clark, James Harper, Julian Michael and Jacqui Metcalf

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1.	1. Apologies Dr Rajen Prasad was noted as an apology.				
2.	Disclosures of Interest	No further disclosures were made.			
3.	Minutes of Audit and Risk Committee of 16 November 2023	Item No 3.1: Minutes, Part A Noted. Item No 3.2: Matters Arising from the Minutes, Part A, not elsewhere on the agenda.	RESOLVED (Chair Cecilia Tarrant) that the Minutes, Part A, of the Audit and Risk Committee held on 16 November 2023 be taken as read and confirmed.		
4.	Other Matters for Decision or Noting	 4.1 Committee Responsibilities and Processes This paper was noted. 4.2 Committee Terms of Reference The Committee Terms of Reference were reviewed, and the amendments were noted. 	i) The report be received and noted; and ii) Audit & Risk Committee recommend to Council that the amended Committee Terms of Reference be adopted.		
5.	Leave of Absence	No leave of absence was requested for the next meeting.			
6.	Public Exclusions	The general subject of each matter to be considered while the public is excluded, the reason for passing this resolution in relation to each matter, and the specific grounds under section 48(1) of the Local Government Official Information and Meetings Act 1987 for the passing of this resolution are as follows: General subject of each matter to be considered:	RESOLVED (Chair Jan Dawson) that the public be excluded from Part B of this meeting AND THAT Professor Freshwater, Mrs Cleland, Mr Bluett, Mrs Miller, Mr Ali, Ms Nand, Mr Penrose, Ms Hudaya, Mr Harper, Mr Clark, Mr Phipps, Mr Michael, and Mrs Metcalf be permitted to remain for this part of the meeting, after the public be excluded, because of their knowledge of the matters to be discussed.		

Item No 7.1:	Audit and Risk Committee Meeting	16 November 2024,
Minutes Part B		

Item No 7.2: Audit and Risk Committee Meeting 16 November 2024,

Matters Arising from Minutes, Part B

Item No 8.0: 2023 Management Judgements

Item No 9.0: 2023 EY Closing Report

Item No 10.0: 2023 Draft Annual Report

Item No 11.0: Combined Assurance Report

Item No 12.0: University Policy Framework and Status

Item No 13.0: Health & Safety Programme

Item No 14.0: Digital Programme

Item No 15.0: Legislative Change Programme

Item No 16.0: Enterprise Risk Programme

Reason for passing this resolution in relation to each matter:

The protection of the interests mentioned below.

Grounds under section 48(1) for the passing of this resolution:

Those in Section 9 of the Official Information Act 1982 namely:

- To protect the privacy of the persons referred to in the recommendations and to maintain the confidentiality of those recommendations; and
- ii) To enable the University to carry on without prejudice or disadvantage negotiations; and
- iii) To prevent the disclosure or use of Official Information for improper gain or advantage.

This knowledge, which will be of assistance in relation to the matters to be discussed, is relevant to those matters because they relate to aspects of the administration of the University of Auckland for which those persons are responsible.

CHAIR APPROVED BUT NOT CONFIRMED BY THE COMMITTEE

The meeting moved into a Public Excluded Session at 08.05 am.				
The meeting closed at 11.15 am.				
Approved as a true and correct record.				
Jonathan Mason, Chair				
Date:				