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## **NOTICE OF MEETING**

A meeting of the AUDIT COMMITTEE will be held in the COUNCIL CHAMBER, KILMORY, LOCHGILPHEAD on FRIDAY, 9 DECEMBER 2011 at 11:15 AM, which you are requested to attend.

Douglas Hendry
Executive Director - Customer Services

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#### 19. SERVICE REVIEW OF INTERNAL AUDIT

Report by Head of Strategic Finance (to follow)

## **AUDIT COMMITTEE**

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