## **Argyll and Bute Council**

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## **NOTICE OF MEETING**

A meeting of the AUDIT COMMITTEE will be held in the COUNCIL CHAMBERS, KILMORY, LOCHGILPHEAD on FRIDAY 26 JULY 2002 at 2:00 PM, which you are requested to attend.

Nigel Stewart
Director of Corporate and Legal Services

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## **AUDIT COMMITTEE**

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