

Financial Reporting Council Minutes of a meeting of the FRC Board held on 30 June 2022 at 09:00 Via Microsoft Teams

PRESENT: Sir Jan du Plessis Chairman

> Sir Jon Thompson CEO

John Coomber Senior Independent Director Angela Cha Non-Executive Director Sir Ashley Fox Non-Executive Director Hannah Nixon Non-Executive Director Clare Thompson Non-Executive Director Ruwan Weerasekera Non-Executive Director

David Willis Non-Executive Director

IN ATTENDANCE: Alex Kuczynski General Counsel and ED, Corporate Services

Karen Ottev **Enforcement Operations Officer**

Tara Trousdale Finance Director

Rachel Atkinson Head of Stakeholder Engagement Committee Secretary (minutes) Anna Byrne

1. WELCOME AND OPENING OF THE MEETING

The Chair noted that the meeting was quorate and the meeting was duly opened.

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- 2.1 The Board reviewed the FRC's Annual Report and Accounts for the year ended 31 March 2022. The Audit & Risk Committee Chair confirmed that the Annual Report and Accounts had been considered by the Audit & Risk Committee on 16 June 2022 and at that meeting the Committee had agreed to recommend them to the Board for approval.
- 2.2 The FRC had now received confirmation from the FRC's external auditors, the National Audit Office, that it would be issuing an unqualified opinion which would then be incorporated into the final draft of the Annual Report and Accounts to be signed by the Directors.
- 2.3 The Board thereby **agreed** to:
 - a. Approve the FRC's Annual Report and Accounts for the year ended 31 March 2022.
 - b. Authorise Sir Jan du Plessis to sign the Strategic Report, Directors' Report and Governance Statement on its behalf
 - c. Authorise Sir Jon Thompson (as executive director and Accounting Officer) to sign the balance sheet of the financial statements on its behalf.
 - d. Authorise Sir Jon Thompson (as Accounting Officer) to sign the Letter of Representations to be provide to the National Audit Office.
- The Board also noted and approved the Report on the FRC's Independent Oversight of 2.4 the UK Endorsement Board ("UKEB") for 20221/22 which had been included as an appendix to the Annual Report and Accounts.



3 ANNUAL ENFORCEMENT REVIEW

3.1 The Board noted the 2022 Annual Enforcement Review, which had been approved by publication by the Conduct Committee on 21 June 2022. It was anticipated that the final version of the AER would be published on 28 July 2022.

4 NEXT MEETING

4.1 The next meeting of the Board was scheduled for Wednesday 6 July 2022.

These minutes are an accurate record of the meeting held on 30 June 2022.

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Jan du Plessis, FRC Chair	Date