

COUNCIL OF THE ISLES OF SCILLY

AUDIT OF ACCOUNTS 2012/13 NOTICE OF PUBLIC RIGHTS

Audit Commission Act 1998, Reg 15,16
Accounts and Audit Regulations (England) 2011 (SI 2011 No. 817)

NOTICE is given that from 1st July 2013 to 26th July 2013 between 9.30am and 3.30pm, any local government elector may inspect, and make copies of, the accounts of the Council of the Isles of Scilly for the financial year ended 31 March 2013, and all books, deeds, contracts, bills, vouchers and receipts relating thereto. The accounts and other documents will be available for inspection at the offices at which they are normally kept, or otherwise by arrangement; application should be made initially to the Finance Department, Town Hall, St Mary's (tel: 01720 424000). *You may not inspect documents that are not relevant to the accounts or are otherwise legally protected.*

NOTICE is also given that on or after 1st August 2013 at 10.00am until the completion of the audit, the auditor at the request of the Local Government elector for any area to which the accounts relate, will give the elector or his representative an opportunity to question him about the accounts and that any such elector or his representative may attend before the auditor and make objections as to any matter in respect of which the auditor could take action under Section 17 or 18 of the Audit Commission Act 1998 (namely, an unlawful item of account, failure to bring a sum into account, or a loss or deficiency caused by willful misconduct) or could make a report in the public interest under Section 8 of that Act.

Questions may be received at the Town Hall, St Mary's by arrangement with the Auditor, Grant Thornton UK LLP, Unit 26 - 28, 1st Floor, Yeoford Way, Marsh Barton Trading Estate, Exeter, EX2 8LB, to whom requests for this purpose should be addressed. No objections may be made unless the auditor has previously received written notice of the proposed objections and its grounds. A copy of this notice must be sent to the Council of the Isles of Scilly at the address below:

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Dated 22/05/2013