

NORTH LANARKSHIRE COUNCIL

REPORT

To: GENERAL PURPOSES COMMITTEE	Subject: DISTRICT COURT - APPOINTMENT OF CLERK	
From: DIRECTOR OF ADMINISTRATION		
Date: 16 JANUARY 1996	Ref: JOH/AH	


1. **Introduction**

- 1.1 From 1 April 1996 North Lanarkshire Council will have a statutory responsibility to administer and fund the District Court(s) within their area in terms of the District Courts (Scotland) Act 1975.

Specifically under Section 7, the Council must appoint and employ an officer, who must be a solicitor, to be the Clerk and also such other persons as may be necessary to assist the Clerk.

2. **Recommendation**

It is recommended that the Council appoint Mr Walter B Kilgour, the Head of Legal Services, to be the Clerk of Court and to continue the appointment of other staff pending a further report.


Director of Administration