Subject: Action Taken Under Delegated Authority

Report to: GLA Oversight Committee

Report of: Executive Director of Secretariat Date: 21 March 2013

This report will be considered in public

1. **Summary**

1.1 This report summarises the action taken by the Chair of the GLA Oversight Committee under delegated authority since the date of the last meeting.

2. Recommendation

2.1 That the Committee notes the action taken by the Chair of the GLA Oversight Committee under delegated authority.

3. Background

3.1 Under the Chair's standing delegation as set out in Standing Order 10.2, the Chair wrote on 15 February 2013 to the Mayor seeking clarification on allegations made formerly in relation to the Senior Adviser for Mentoring in his previous capacity as Deputy Mayor of London for Young People in 2008.

4. Issues for Consideration

4.1 The letter issued by the Chair and the response from the Mayor is attached as **Appendix 1**.

5. Legal Implications

5.1 Under section 34 of the Greater London Authority Act 1999 (as amended), the Authority, acting under the Mayor or Assembly, may do anything that is considered to facilitate or is conducive or incidental to the exercise of any of the functions of the Assembly.

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5.2 The Assembly may, under section 54 of the GLA Act 1999 (as amended) delegate relevant functions to individual Members. The decision making function on this matter has, accordingly, been properly delegated by the Assembly, through one of its committees, to the Chair of the Assembly.

6. Financial Implications

6.1 There are no financial implications arising from this report.

List of appendices to this report:

Appendix 1 - Mayoral correspondence.

Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985

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