ABERDEEN CITY COUNCIL

COMMITTEE	Audit, Risk and Scrutiny Committee	
DATE	11 September 2025	
EXEMPT	No	
CONFIDENTIAL	No	
REPORT TITLE	Investigation report into Incorrect Political Listing	
REPORT NUMBER	CORS/25/218	
EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR	Andy MacDonald	
CHIEF OFFICER	Steve Roud	
REPORT AUTHOR	Steve Roud	
TERMS OF REFERENCE	5.2	

1. PURPOSE OF REPORT

1.1 This report provides members with the security incident report relating to the incorrect listing of a member's political party on 15th August 2025.

2. RECOMMENDATIONS

That the Committee notes:-

- 2.1 the findings of the report;
- 2.2 the additional controls being implemented; and
- 2.3 the timeline for system upgrade as being end of 2025.

3. CURRENT SITUATION

The convener of Audit Risk and Scrutiny requested that report on the incident be brought to the committee.

4. FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no financial implications arising from this report.

5. LEGAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no legal implications arising from this report.

6. ENVIRONMENTAL IMPLICATIONS

There are no environmental implications arising from this report.

7. RISK

Category	Risks	Primary Controls/Control Actions to achieve Target Risk Level	*Target Risk Level (L, M or H) *taking into account controls/control actions	*Does Target Risk Level Match Appetite Set?
Strategic Risk	No significant risks identified			Yes/No
Compliance	No significant risks identified			Yes/No
Operational	No significant risks identified			Yes/No
Financial	No significant risks identified			Yes/No
Reputational	Incorrect information being published in public causes confusion	 Additional controls and user guidance on use of the system Complete the scheduled system upgrade 	Medium	Yes/ No
Environment / Climate	No significant risks identified			Yes/No

8. OUTCOMES

The proposals in this report have no impact on the Council Delivery Plan.

9. IMPACT ASSESSMENTS

Assessment	Outcome	

Integrated Impact	No assessment required. I confirm this has been
Assessment	discussed and agreed with Steve Roud, Chief Officer
	Digital & Technology.
Data Protection Impact	Required / not required
Assessment	
Other	N/A

10. BACKGROUND PAPERS

10.1 None

11. APPENDICES

11.1 INC0265306 - Incorrect Member Listing

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