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Member Appointment Extended on Ayrshire & Arran NHS Board

The Cabinet Secretary for Health and Sport today announced the extension to the appointment of Lisa Tennant as a Member of Ayrshire & Arran NHS Board.

MEMBER

Lisa Tennant brings varied public and private sector experience and has served on numerous Boards. She is currently a board member of NHS Ayrshire and Arran, the Energy and Communications Ombudsman, Forestry & Land Scotland and the Scottish Land Fund and a Trustee of Pancreatic Cancer UK. She specialises in Digital Strategy and Transformation and currently Chairs the NHS A&A Information Governance Committee. She has a keen interest in Board diversity and is an Ambassador for Women on Boards.

EXTENSION

This extension will be for nine months and will run from 1 July 2020 to 31 March 2021.

This extension is regulated by the Commissioner for Ethical Standards in Public Life in Scotland.

REMUNERATION

This extension is part-time and attracts a remuneration of £8,584 per annum for a time commitment of one day per week.

OTHER MINISTERIAL APPOINTMENTS

Lisa Tennant does not hold any other public appointments.

POLITICAL ACTIVITY

All appointments are made on merit and political activity plays no part in the selection process. However, in accordance with the original Nolan recommendations, there is a requirement for appointees' political activity within the last five years (if there is any to be declared) to be made public.

Lisa Tennant has had no political activity in the last five years.

BACKGROUND

NHS Ayrshire & Arran is responsible for meeting the health needs of around 400,000 people living in the area, and provides a comprehensive range of primary, community-based and acute hospital services for the population.