Item 124 Hearing Loop in Chamber

Background

Cllrs will recall that in Octobers Full Council meeting, a report was received concerning the legal requirement to make reasonable changes to provide auxiliary aids e.g. induction hearing loop in public buildings. It was agreed that the Town Clerk secure quotes for the work to be done to install and hearing loop and microphones in the Council Chamber. Three companies have quoted, and details of the quotes are listed below.

Quotes

Company	Ceiling loop	Floor / Wall Loop	Mics	Net Cost	VAT	Total
1a	YES		1 x plug in mic with 6m lead	£2,750	£550	£3,300
1b		YES	1 x plug in mic with 6m lead	£1,250	£250	£1,500
2a		YES	CHM 99 Condenser Hanging mic + amplifier + mixer	£3,939	£787.80	£4,726.80
2a		YES	CHM 99 Condenser Hanging mic + amplifier + mixer and a speaker system/amplifier	£5,134	£1,026.80	£6,160.80
За		YES	2 x shotgun mics	£1,179	£235.80	£1,414.80
3b		YES	2 x shotgun mic + 75" TV display screen + mounting bracket + soundbar + cables etc	£4,351.20	£870.24	£5,221.44

For Consideration

Cllrs are asked to consider the above quotes and optional extras and take a decision on which system they would like to go with.