The FGB Chair, CEO, and Group Director of Governance have been given delegated authority by FGB to review confidential minutes on an annual basis. The following minute was released for publication following the review panel meeting held on 7 September 2026.

Audit Committee Meeting of 3 March 2026 Confidential Part A

	ITEM	COMMENTS	ACTION
Part A	8.	PS confirmed two red risks remain: the funding audit and cyber security. These had been covered earlier in the meeting and remain red. Governors asked whether further clarification could be added to show when specific mitigating actions will occur, to strengthen the link between planned and completed actions. A short discussion followed on cyber security. Governors noted that while reputational risk may be mitigated by similar sector-wide vulnerability, the organisation must still demonstrate clear control over risks within its remit. The Group operates in a competitive environment; reputation therefore remains important.	

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