## **Delegated Decision Notification**

| LEAD DIRECTOR <sup>i</sup> :         | Director of Environment and Housing   |                               |                                |  |
|--------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|--|
| SUBJECT":                            | Variation of the contract with Leeds Federated Housing Association for the  |                               |                                |  |
|                                      | Leeds Emergency Ac  | ccommodation Provision        | ı (LEAP)                       |  |
| DECISION<br>DETAILS <sup>iii</sup> : | The Director of Environment and Housing has approved the request to vary, under Contracts Procedure Rule 21.5, the contract with Leeds Federated Housing Assocation for the LEAP service. This will reduce the number of units from 65 to 50 and result in a contract cost of £72,644.00 per year. The LEAP service is currently underutilised due to a reduction in referrals from Leeds Housing Options as a result of successful homeless prevention work and increased move on work with providers. Consultation has taken place with LHO and the provider and it was agreed reducing the number of units was the best option. This will ensure continuity of service provision for the existing service users and will allow for the service to respond to current demand for the provision of emergency accommodation for homeless adults and families. |                               |                                |  |
| TYPE OF                              | ☐ Council function (not subject to call-in)   |                               |                                |  |
| DECISION:                            | ☐ Executive decision (Key)  |                               |                                |  |
|                                      | Is the decision eligible for call-in? <sup>iv</sup> Yes  No   |                               |                                |  |
|                                      | Is the decision exemp   | ot from call-in? <sup>v</sup> | es 🗌 No                        |  |
|                                      |   |                               |                                |  |
|                                      | ☐ Executive decision (Administrative <sup>vii</sup> – not subject to publication or call-in)  |                               |                                |  |
| NOTICEVIII / CALL-                   | Date the decision was published in the List of Forthcoming Key Decisions:   |                               |                                |  |
| IN (KEY                              |   |                               |                                |  |
| DECISIONS                            | If not on the List of Forthcoming Key Decisions for at least 28 clear days, the   |                               |                                |  |
| ONLY):                               | reason why it would be impracticable to delay the decision:-  |                               |                                |  |
|                                      | If exempt from call-in, the reason why call-in would prejudice the interests of the Council or the public:-   |                               |                                |  |
| AFFECTED                             |   |                               |                                |  |
| WARDS:                               |   |                               |                                |  |
| DETAILS OF                           | Executive Member  | Date consulted:               | Interest disclosed?ix          |  |
| CONSULTATION                         |   |                               | ☐ Yes (Date of dispensation: ) |  |
| UNDERTAKEN:                          |   |                               | ☐ No                           |  |
|                                      | Ward Councillor   | Date consulted:               | Interest disclosed?            |  |
|                                      |   |                               | ☐ Yes (Date of dispensation: ) |  |
|                                      |   |                               | ☐ No                           |  |

|                | Others <sup>x</sup> (please Date consulted:        | Interest disclosed?               |  |
|----------------|--|-----------------------------------|--|
|                | specify: )   | Yes (Date of dispensation: )      |  |
|                |  | ☐ No                              |  |
| CAPITAL        |  |                                   |  |
| INJECTION      | Injection approval required?                       | s 🖂 No                            |  |
| APPROVAL       | (If yes, you must complete the Approval box below) |                                   |  |
| REQUIRED:      |  |                                   |  |
| CAPITAL        |  | Capital Scheme Number:            |  |
| INJECTION      |  | XXXXX / XXX / XXX                 |  |
| APPROVAL       | (Name: )   |                                   |  |
|                | (Title: )  | Date:                             |  |
| IMPLEMENTATION | Officer accountable for implementation             |                                   |  |
| (KEY DECISIONS |  |                                   |  |
| ONLY)          | Timescales for implementationxi                    |                                   |  |
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| CONTACT        | Veena Kumar  | Telephone number <sup>xii</sup> : |  |
| PERSON:        |  | 0113 247 6199                     |  |
|                |  |                                   |  |
| DECISION MAKER |  | Date: 25 <sup>th</sup> July 2014  |  |
| / AUTHORISED   |  |                                   |  |
| SIGNATORYXIII: | R.N. Evans   |                                   |  |
|                | (Name: Neil Evans Director                         |                                   |  |
|                | Environments and Housing )                         |                                   |  |
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taken not to disclose any confidential or exempt information.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>i</sup> The Leader of the Council may also make executive decisions and should be specified as the Lead Director where appropriate.

A brief title should be inserted here. If the decision is Key and has appeared on the List of Forthcoming Key Decisions, the title of the decision should be the same as that used in the List.

Brief details of the decision should be inserted. This note must set out the substance of the decision, options considered and the reason for deciding on the chosen option, although care must be

See the Executive and Decision Making Procedure Rules for eligibility. The decision will not be eligible for call-in if it has already been subject to call-in i.e. considered by the relevant Scrutiny Board. This includes a decision which has been modified by the decision maker following a recommendation by a Scrutiny Board after call-in of the earlier decision.

<sup>v</sup> If the decision is exempt from call-in a reason must be provided in the 'Notice / Call-In' box and in the report. The call-in period expires at 5pm on the 5<sup>th</sup> working day after publication. Scrutiny Support will notify decision makers of matters called-in no later than 12 noon on the 6<sup>th</sup> working day. vi If the decision would have been a Key decision but for an exception set out in Article 13.6.1, please refer to the connected Key decision in the decision details (either by the title or the reference number). vii Administrative Decisions do not need to be published on the Council's website but this form may be used for internal recording of the decision.

All Key decisions should appear on the List of Forthcoming Key Decisions for 28 clear days before the decision can be taken. If 28 clear days' notice has not been provided, a reason must be provided

ix No Member having a disclosable pecuniary interest or officer having an interest in any matter (whether pecuniary or otherwise required to be declared) should take a decision in relation to that matter. Other interests of a non-disqualifying nature should be recorded here. Any dispensation in place in relation to the matter should also be recorded here.

This may include other elected Members, officers, stakeholders and the local community.

xi Please include proposed timescales for commencement and / or completion of implementation as

appropriate. xii Please insert a complete telephone number whether land line or mobile, rather than an extension number so that you can be contacted from outside the Council.

xiii The signatory must be duly authorised by the Lead Director to make a decision in accordance with the relevant sub-delegation scheme. It is not acceptable for the signature to be 'pp' for the authorised signatory. For Key decisions only, the date of the authorised signature signifies that, at the time, the officer was content that the decision should be taken. However, should representations be received following public availability of reports the signatory will consider the effect which such representations should have on the final decision.