## **Delegated Decision Notification (DDN)**

This form is used both to give notice of an officer's intention to make a key decision and to record any delegated decision which has been taken. The decision set out on this form therefore reflects the decision that it is intended to be made, or that has been made. Although set out in the past tense a decision for which notice is being given may be subject to amendment or withdrawal.

Lead director <sup>i</sup> :	City Solicitor			
Subject <sup>ii</sup> :	Overarching pandemic approval of special urgency			
Decision	The Head of Democratic Services has noted the actions collectively			
details <sup>iii</sup> :	agreed by Scrutiny Board Chairs in relation to the operation of the			
	special urgency provisions for key officer decisions responding to the			
	Coronavirus pandemic, as part of the Council's overall decision-making			
	arrangements. The actions collectively agreed are outlined in Appendix			
	1.			
	It is further noted that these arrangements will be reviewed on 4 May			
	2020, as set out in Appendix 1.			
Type of	☐ Key decision (executive)			
decision:	Is the decision eligible for call-in? <sup>iv</sup> ☐ Yes ☐ No			
	Is the decision exempt from call-in? <sup>v</sup> Yes  No			
	Significant operational decision (council or executive <sup>vi</sup> – not subject to call-			
	in)			
	Administrative decision (council or executive <sup>vii</sup> – not subject to publication or			
	call-in)			
Notice <sup>viii</sup> or call-	Date the decision was published in the list of forthcoming key decisions:			
in (key decisions	NA			
only):	If not on the list of forthcoming key decisions for at least 28 clear days, the			
	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:			
	countries of the public.			
Affected wards:	All			
Details of	Leader of Council Date consulted: Interest disclosed?ix			
consultation	and Executive 3 April 2020			
undertaken:	Member for No			
	Resources			

	Ward Councillor	Date consulted:	Interest disclosed?	
	N/A		☐ Yes Date of dispensation:	
			□ No	
	Others* please	Date consulted:	Interest disclosed?	
	specify:	3 April 2020	☐ Yes Date of dispensation:	
	All Scrutiny Board		☐ No	
	Chairs.			
Capital injection				
approval	Injection approval required?   Yes   No			
required:	(If yes, you must complete the Approval box below)			
Capital			Capital scheme number:	
Injection			XXXXX / XXX / XXX	
approval	Name:			
	Title:		Date:	
Contract details	Contract reference number		Contract title	
(procurement				
decisions only)				
			Supplier	
			Supplier	
Implementation	Officer accountable for implementation			
(key decisions				
only)	Timescales for implementation <sup>xi</sup>			
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Contact person:	A 1 1/		Telephone numberxii: 01133788660	
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Decision maker	Head of Democratic S	Services	Date: 6 April 2020	
or authorised				
signatory <sup>xiii</sup> :				
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	Name: Andy Hodson			
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<sup>i</sup> The leader of the council may also make executive decisions and should be specified as the lead director where appropriate.

ii 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.

<sup>iii</sup> 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 taken not to disclose any confidential or exempt information.

<sup>iv</sup> 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 or 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 13.4(b), 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 here.

<sup>ix</sup> 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.

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

 $^{\mathrm{xi}}$  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.