

CALL IN REQUEST – Option (b)

A Call In request may be made by:

Two non-executive Members of council if they are not from the same political group¹

Date of decision publication: - 4/11/11

Delegated decision ref: - or

Executive Board Minute no: 123 2/11/11 or

Area Committee Name and decision ref: -

Decision description: Residual Waste Treatment PFI Project - Waste
Solution for Leeds

Discussion with Decision Maker:

Prior to submitting a Call In, a nominated signatory must first contact the relevant officer or Executive Member to discuss their concerns and their reasons for wanting to call in the decision. Part of this discussion must include the Member ascertaining the financial implications of requesting a Call In.

Please identify contact and provide detail.

☒ Director

☐ Executive Member

Detail of discussion (to include financial implications).....

Reasons for call in discussed with Neil Evans, Director
on 11/11/11, including consideration of likelihood of reference
back of decision being discussed in Council; financial implications
of the decision itself is part of the reasoning for the call in,
and "pink paper" considerations can be discussed at the
Call in.

Reasons for Call In:

All requests for Call In must detail why, in the opinion of the signatories, the decision was not taken in accordance with the principles set out in Article 13 of the Council constitution (decision making) (principles of decision making) or where relevant issues do not appear to be taken into consideration. *Please tick the relevant box(es) and give an explanation.*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | Proportionality (ie the action must be proportionate to the desired outcome) |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Due consultation and the taking of professional advice from officers |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Respect for human rights |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | A presumption in favour of openness |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Clarity of aims and desired outcomes |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | An explanation of the options considered and details of the reasons for the decision |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Positive promotion of equal opportunities |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | Natural justice |

Explanation

- 1 Since the Executive Board agenda was published, there was too little time to consult affected local residents and others concerned with this important, expensive and far-reaching decision which potentially closes off opportunities to treat domestic waste more economically and with less impact on the environment.
- 2 The detail of the PFI funding for both bidders' options had not been fully explained.
- 3 The weighting given to locating an unpopular facility at the two possible sites and the relative effects on residents living near and all persons being near either site for any reason was not explained.

Leeds City Council Scrutiny Support Unit

In the case of decisions made by Area Committees, a Member cannot count as one of the two/five signatures if they are a member of that Area Committee.

The following signatories request that the above decision be called in:

1) Signature.....	Political group.....
Print name.....	

Ralph Pryke

Liberal Democrats

RALPH PRYKE

2) Signature.....	Political group.....
Print name.....	

David Blackburn

GREEN GROUP

DAVID BLACKBURN

This form should be submitted to the Head of Scrutiny and Member Development (Scrutiny Support Unit, 1st Floor West, Civic Hall) by **5.00pm on the fifth working day after the decision publication date**. The office is open from 9.00am to 5.00pm.

(For further information on the Call In procedure please refer to the Scrutiny Support Unit intranet site, or contact the Unit on 39 51151).

For office use only: (box A)

Received on behalf of the Head of Scrutiny and Member Development by:

[Signature]

.....(signature)

Date: 11.10.11 Time: 13.05 SSU ref:

For office use only: (box B)

Exemption status checked: ☒

Call In authorised: Yes/No

Date checked: ☒

Signed: *[Signature]*

Signatures checked: ☒

Date: 11.11.11

Receipts given: ☒

Validity re article 13 ☒

Receipt details:

