



Report for: Annual Council

Date of Meeting: 16 May 2024

Subject: Information Report – Use of Urgency Procedure - Council

Responsible Officer: Jessica Farmer – Director of Legal and Governance Services

Exempt: No

Wards affected: N/a

Enclosures: None

Section 1 – Summary and Recommendations

This report sets out details of decisions taken under the Urgency procedure since the meeting of the Council on 22 February 2024.

Recommendations:
That the report be noted.

Section 2 – Report

In accordance with the delegations to Chief Officers, the Leaders of each of the Political Groups on the Council were consulted on the following urgent decision, which was approved on behalf of the Council on the date below as action was required prior to this Council meeting.

Designation of the Council's Director of Adult Social Services – 20 March 2024

It was agreed that Liz Bruce, Interim Director of Adult Social Services, be designated as the Council's Director of Adult Social Services, a statutory post with effect 23 March 2024 or such later date as the current post holder leaves the council.

Ward Councillors' comments N/A

Legal Implications

As set out in the urgent report.

Financial Implications

As set out in the urgent report.

Risk Management Implications

As set out in the urgent report.

Equalities implications / Public Sector Equality Duty

As set out in the urgent report.

Council Priorities

A place where those in need are supported.

Section 3 - Statutory Officer Clearance

Statutory Officer: Sharon Daniels

Signed by the Chief Financial Officer

Date: 7 May 2024

Statutory Officer: Caroline Eccles

Signed on behalf of the Monitoring Officer

Date: 7 May 2024

Mandatory Checks

Ward Councillors notified: N/A.

Section 4 - Contact Details and Background Papers

Contact: Alison Atherton, Senior Professional Democratic Services
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Background Papers: Urgent Decision Form

If appropriate, does the report include the following considerations?

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| 1. Consultation | YES |
| 2. Priorities | n/a |