## ISLE OF WIGHT COUNCIL

## RECORD OF EXECUTIVE DECISION – LEADER OF THE CABINET

<u>Title of Matter:</u> Grant of delegated authority to the Director of Corporate Services (Sharon Betts) regarding the two alternative energy schemes as set by Department of Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy.

Decision maker: Cllr Lora Peacey-Wilcox, Leader of the Cabinet

Power(s) giving authority to make an executive decision: Section 9E (2) of the

Local Government Act 2000 and under all other enabling powers.

<u>Decision</u>: That the Director of Corporate Services (Sharon Betts) be granted full executive powers in respect of the administration (including verification and payments) of the two statutory schemes (Energy Bills Support Scheme Alternative Funding and Alternative Fuel Payments Alternative Fund) which have been set by the Department for Business, Energy and Industrial Strategy (BEIS) and the delegated authority to grant such onward delegated authority to such matters of staff as the Director so determines and the delegated authority to take any consequential steps in relation to this matter.

Date of decision: 22 February 2023

<u>Reason for decision:</u> To facilitate effective and efficient administration in the timeframes set by BEIS (schemes to commence 27 February 2023 and close 31 May 2023). The scheme criteria are set by BEIS and therefore there are no eligibility decisions to be made by local authorities.

<u>Details of any alternative options considered and rejected by the member when making the decision:</u> None.

Record of any conflict of interest declared by any Cabinet member consulted by the Leader of the Cabinet which relates to the decision: None.

<u>Dispensations granted by the Head of Paid Service in respect of any declared</u> <u>conflicts of interest:</u> None

Background documents referred to: Briefing note on the statutory scheme

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Cllr Lora Peacey-Wilcox, Leader of the Cabinet

Date of written record: 22 February 2023