

ISLE OF WIGHT COUNCIL

Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012

Notice of Intention to take Urgent Key Decision

Notice is given in accordance with regulation 11 of the Local Authorities (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012 that the following decision, which is a key decision delegated by the Leader of the Council to be taken by Cabinet member for Resources, in liaison with the cabinet members for Infrastructure and Regeneration on or after 24 March 2021, is a case of special urgency:

Details of intended key decision:

That the proposed agreement with the Ministry of Justice for the transfer of land and supporting investment at Parkhurst Estate, Newport be agreed on the terms and conditions set out in the exempt Appendix 1 and that call-in of this decision be disapplied as the local authority would be significantly disadvantaged by any delay incurred through call-in.

In accordance with regulation 11, the Chairman of the Corporate Scrutiny Committee has been advised of this matter, and has agreed that the making of the intended key decision is urgent and cannot reasonably be deferred, for the following reason:

The urgency for the making of the intended decision is because the Ministry of Justice requires a decision to be made by the local authority by 31 March 2021 due to government funding only be available to that date and the making of such intended decision cannot be reasonably deferred due to that deadline. (The Forward Plan had contained notice of this proposal and it was considered at Cabinet on 11 March 2021 where it resolved that further negotiations were to be undertaken and now have been undertaken, leading to wish to make the intended decision within the time deadline).

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