Cabinet – 10 March 2022

Written question from Charlie Sherwood to the Leader

What steps will the Leader and Cabinet be taking to ensure that residents of the Isle of Wight and employees of the Council can have confidence in the Council's commitments to equality and diversity, particularly with respect to ethnic minorities?

The council's equality objectives action plan which forms part of its equality policy statement and guidance is due for review by the end of 2022. Working with officers I will bring forward the timing of this review and ensure that sure the next action plan secures the highest standards of fairness are applied in the council's dealings with individuals of all protected characteristics.