

COUNCIL – 8TH NOVEMBER 2021

Report of the Chief Executive

ITEM 12 URGENT COUNCIL FUNCTION DECISION

Purpose of Report

To note the action taken by the Chief Executive, in respect of a Council function decision relating to the Bedford Square Gateway Capital project made under urgency provisions.

Action Requested

Questions may be asked of the Leader in relation to the action taken. The Leader may ask the relevant Lead Member to respond.

Policy Justification and Previous Decisions

Under section 8.2 of the constitution which relates to the delegation of Council functions there is provision for the Chief Executive, Strategic Directors and Heads of Service to take such action as is required in the case of an emergency or urgency subject to:

- (i) consultation with the Mayor, the Chair of the relevant committee, or, in the Chair's absence, the Vice-chair;
- (ii) consultation with the Chief Executive and relevant Strategic Directors in each case; and
- (iii) report on the action taken being made to the next [Ordinary] meeting of the Council or relevant committee, as appropriate

The Council function decision taken by the Chief Executive being reported to this meeting of Council relates to the following:

- DD18254 2021 – Bedford Square Gateway Capital Project

The decision can be found in the Annex to this report.

Implementation Timetable including Future Decisions

As detailed within the reports attached as an Annex.

Report Implications

As detailed within the reports attached as an Annex.

Background Papers: None

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Annex

Report of the decision taken by the Chief Executive.