# Scrutiny call-in: Exemptions to the call-in procedure by virtue of urgency of business

### Alteration of Upper Age Limit at Icknield Community College, Watlington (Cabinet Member for Children. Education & Families Decision 3 November 2014)

The Cabinet Member for Children, Education & Families considered and approved the extension of the age range at Icknield Community College to include post-16 provision.

Agreed on the basis of Scrutiny Procedure Rule 18(a) where any delay would seriously prejudice the Council's interests, in that the Cabinet Member's role would be negated by referral to the Schools' Adjudicator if the decisions were not taken within two months of the end of the Statutory Notices.

# The Proposed Closure Of The Boarding Facility Known As The Hostel At Northfield School, Oxford

(Cabinet Member for Children, Education & Families Decision 8 December 2014)

The Cabinet Member for Children, Education & Families considered and approved the closure of the boarding facility at Northfield School Oxford, following the results of a Health & Safety Survey.

Agreed on the basis of Scrutiny Procedure Rule 18(a) where any delay would seriously prejudice the Council's interests, in that the Cabinet Member's role would be negated by referral to the Schools' Adjudicator if the decisions were not taken within two months of the end of the Statutory Notices.

# The Proposed Closure Of The Hearing Impairment Resource Base At Rush Common School, Abingdon

(Cabinet Member for Children, Education & Families Decision 5 January 2015)

The Cabinet Member for Children, Education & Families considered and approved the proposal to formally close the Hearing Impairment Resource Base at Rush Common School as from September 2014 there were no children attending this resource base.

Agreed on the basis of Scrutiny Procedure Rule 18(a) where any delay would seriously prejudice the Council's interests, in that the Cabinet Member's role would be negated by referral to the Schools' Adjudicator if the decisions were not taken within two months of the end of the Statutory Notices.

# Closure Of The Communication & Interaction Resource Base At Queensway School, Banbury

(Cabinet Member for Children, Education & Families Decision 9 February 2015)

The Cabinet Member for Children, Education & Families considered and approved the closure of the Communication & Interaction Resource Base at Queensway School on the basis that this provision was met by other means.

Agreed on the basis of Scrutiny Procedure Rule 18(a) where any delay would seriously prejudice the Council's interests, in that the Cabinet Member's role would be negated by referral to the Schools' Adjudicator if the decisions were not taken within two months of the end of the Statutory Notices.

# The Proposed Closure Of The Communication & Interaction Resource Base At Caldecott Primary School, Abingdon

(Cabinet Member for Children, Education & Families Decision 9 February 2015)

The Cabinet Member for Children, Education & Families considered and approved the closure of the Communication & Interaction Resource Base at Caldecott Primary School on the basis that this provision was met by other means.

Agreed on the basis of Scrutiny Procedure Rule 18(a) where any delay would seriously prejudice the Council's interests, in that the Cabinet Member's role would be negated by referral to the Schools' Adjudicator if the decisions were not taken within two months of the end of the Statutory Notices.

#### **Proposal To Expand Hook Norton CE Primary School**

(Cabinet Member for Children, Education & Families Decision 9 February 2015)

The Cabinet Member for Children, Education & Families considered and approved the proposal to increase the formal published admission number for Hook Norton CE Primary School from 30 to 45, on a permanent basis starting from September 2015, in order to eventually increase the school's total capacity from its current 210 places in year groups Reception – Year 6 to a maximum of315.

Agreed on the basis of Scrutiny Procedure Rule 18(a) where any delay would seriously prejudice the Council's interests, in that the Cabinet Member's role would be negated by referral to the Schools' Adjudicator if the decisions were not taken within two months of the end of the Statutory Notices.

# Proposal to Close West Kidlington Nursery School and Extend the Age Range of West Kidlington Primary School to Effect a "Merger"

(Cabinet Member for Children, Education & Families Decision – 9 March 2015)

The Cabinet Member for Children, Education & Families considered and approved a proposal is to close West Kidlington Nursery School and alter the age range at West Kidlington Primary School to enable the establishment of a Nursery class, which would effect a "merger" between the two currently separate establishments.

This proposal's intention was to maintain the same level of high quality early years places while improving the financial viability and long term future of this provision.

Agreed on the basis of Scrutiny Procedure Rule 18(a) where any delay would seriously prejudice the Council's interests, in that the Cabinet Member's role would be negated by referral to the Schools' Adjudicator if the decisions were not taken within two

months of the end of the Statutory Notices.

#### **Bus Service Subsidies Review**

(Cabinet Member for Environment Decision – 19 March 2015)

The Cabinet Member for Environment considered and approved a review of subsidised bus services which included the Vale of White Horse and South Oxfordshire areas and some others elsewhere in Oxfordshire, which for technical reasons included some additional services which operated in both those areas.

Agreed on the basis of Scrutiny Procedure Rule 18(b) where delay would result in the discontinuity of service provision.