

***Delegated Decisions by Cabinet Member for Policy Co-ordination -
Monday, 10 February 2014***

Statement of Decision

Present:

Councillor Louise Chapman, Cabinet Member for Policy Co-ordination

Officers: R. Webb (Trading Standards); D. Miller (Law & Culture).

Extension of the Authorisation for the Birmingham City Council Illegal Money Lending Team to Operate in Oxfordshire

Documentation considered:

Report Extension of the Authorisation for the Birmingham City Council Illegal Money Lending Team to Operate in Oxfordshire

A copy is attached to the signed copy of this decision.

Decision

Having regard to the arguments and options set out in the documentation before me, the representations made to me and the further considerations set out above, I confirm my decisions on this matter as follows:

The Cabinet Member for Policy Coordination is RECOMMENDED to:

- (a) agree to continue the delegation of the function of the enforcement of Part III of the Consumer Credit Act 1974 to be carried out in Oxfordshire by Birmingham City Council and to delegate the power of prosecution to Birmingham City Council for any matters associated with or discovered during an investigation by the illegal money lending team;
- (b) agree that authority be delegated to the Trading Standards and Community Safety Manager to enter into a further agreement with Birmingham City Council on behalf of Oxfordshire County Council to enable the Illegal Money Lending Team to operate in Oxfordshire and to make minor alterations to this agreement if required.

Signed
Cabinet Member for Policy Co-ordination

Date2014