

Divisions: N/A

## CABINET – 17 OCTOBER 2023

### DELEGATED POWERS – QUARTERLY REPORT

Report by the Director of Law & Governance

#### RECOMMENDATION

1. Cabinet is **RECOMMENDED** to note the executive decisions taken under delegated powers, set out in paragraph 4.

#### Executive Summary

2. Under the Scheme of Delegation in the Council's Constitution (Part 7.2, paragraph 6.3 (c)(i)), the Chief Executive is authorised to undertake an executive function on behalf of the Cabinet. Cabinet receives a quarterly report on the use of this delegated power in relation to such executive decisions; that is, decisions that might otherwise have been taken by Cabinet.
3. This report refers to executive decisions taken during the period July to September 2023 inclusive.

#### Executive decisions – July to September 2023

4. The following executive decisions were taken during this period:

Date	Subject	Decision	Reason
24 August 2023	Supported Living Interim Contracts	A waiver to direct award 4 interim contracts being 2 contracts to each of Home Farm Trust and Camden Society.	To enable a competitive process to take place through the Live Well Support Services Framework a short-term direct award to existing providers of interim contracts up to 25th February 2024 is required for each of the four services.

#### Legal Implications

5. There are no legal implications arising from this report. It is a requirement of the Council's Constitution (Part 7.2, paragraph 6.3(c)) that "any exercise of these functions shall be reported to the Cabinet or other relevant committee or sub-committee and shall be published on the website as soon as possible". The decisions are published on the website at this [link](#).
6. Each of the decisions reported were undertaken in the context of a legal appraisal.

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#### Financial Implications

7. There are no financial implications arising from the recommendations in this report. It is a procedural item reporting on decisions previously taken. Each of the decisions reported were undertaken in consultation with the Director of Finance.

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