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These notes indicate the decision(s) taken by the named Cabinet Member on the date shown and the officers responsible for taking the agreed action. For background documentation please refer to the report(s) to the Cabinet Member available on the Council's web site (www.oxfordshire.gov.uk.)

The decision(s) take effect at the time and date specified, unless before that time written notice is given in accordance with the Council's Scrutiny Procedure Rules requiring the decision to be called in for review by the relevant Scrutiny Committee.

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1. Declarations of Interest	There were no declarations of interest.		
2. Question from County Councillors			
Any county councillor may, by giving notice to the Proper Officer by 9 am two working days before the meeting, ask a question on any matter in respect of the Cabinet Member's delegated powers.	There were no questions from County Councillors.		
3. Petitions and Public Address	There were no requests to submit a petition or to make a public address.		
4. Request for Exemption from Contract Procedure Rules for a Residential Care Service for People with a Learning Disability provided by The Camden Society			
The Council originally tendered these residential care services under a 1 year contract, with a one year extension clause. This extension ends at the end of February 2015. The intention of this contract was to remodel the residential care services as supported living in accordance with the Council's strategic commissioning plan. Due to lack of engagement by the landlord (Housing Solutions Group) it has not been			

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possible to carry out the remodelling exercise. The Camden Society has proposed an alternative approach which involves replacing the existing properties with mainstream housing acquired on the open market. The Camden Society is proposing to enter into a partnership with a specialist housing provider. The remodelling exercise will take up to two years. It is therefore considered that the most favourable option is to approve an exemption to the Council's Contract Procedure Rules to enable the Camden Society to remodel the residential care services as supported living for people with a learning disability. Once these schemes have been remodelled a mini-competition will be carried out using the Learning Disability Framework Agreement. The Cabinet Member for Adult Social	Approved.	Director for	
Care is RECOMMENDED to approve the exemption from the Council's Contract Procedure Rules in respect of a contract for Residential Care Services for People with a Learning Disability provided by the Camden Society.		Adult Social Services (Shaun Bennett)	