

Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012

Notice under Regulation 10: Key Decision where less than 28 days' public notice has been given

Pursuant to Regulation 10 of the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012 ('the Regulations'), **I hereby give Notice** that:-

The **Cabinet** intends to make a Key Decision on behalf of the Sheffield City Council on 20th March 2019.

The Key Decision will be about the proposed business case for the Council Fostering Service to enhance its ability to support the Council's Sufficiency Strategy for looked after children

It has not been possible to give 28 clear days' notice of the intention to make the Key Decision, as required by Regulation 9 (2) of the Regulations.

The reasons why compliance with Regulation 9 is impracticable in this matter are as follows:-

Securing the decision in March will enable the proposed improved offer to foster carers to commence at the start of the new financial year in April and improve the Fostering Service's ability to recruit and retain foster carers at the earliest opportunity.

Gill Duckworth
Director of Legal and Governance
Sheffield City Council

As required by Regulation 10 of the Regulations, the Chair of the [.....] Scrutiny and Policy Development Committee has been informed of the matter about which the Key Decision is to be made by being given the above Notice.

Pursuant to Regulation 10 (3) this Copy of the Notice was made available at Sheffield Town Hall for inspection by the public and published on the Council's website on **ADD DATE**

