Merton Council Cabinet

6 December 2021

Rule 18 Notice - Item 13 - CHAS



CORPORATE SERVICES DEPARTMENT Caroline Holland - Director



Notice is hereby given that a key decision will be taken by Cabinet on 6 December 2021 on the following matter

UPDATE ON CHAS – Appointment of Financial Advisers

Where a key decision contains exempt information and would be considered in private session 28 days' notice of that decision is normally required. If this notice period has not been given, then the decision can still be taken by the Cabinet, if the provision contained within Rule 18 (Exempt Urgency Procedure) of the Access to Information Procedure Rules Part 4B of the Constitution has been complied with.

Councillor Southgate in his capacity as Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Commission has approved the use of Section 18 - Exempt Urgency procedures for this decision.

The decision to be taken relates to providing an update on the appointment of Financial advisers to provide the Council advice relating to CHAS 2013 LTD. This is required to be decided by Cabinet on 6 December to comply with timetabling requirements.

The reasons for exemption pertains to Section 10.4, Category 3 information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information), of the Access to Information Procedure Rules Part 4B of the Constitution.

