NOTICE 2

HERTFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

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

To David Andrews, Chairman of Overview and Scrutiny Committee

This is formal notice pursuant to Regulation 10 (3) of the 2012 Regulations setting out the reasons why compliance with Regulation 9 is impracticable with regard to reaching decision(s) on the matter identified in Notice 1.

Reasons

We have been advised of an urgent key decision not included on the Council's Forward Plan and for which the required 28 days' notice has not been given. The matter is urgent as any bids to be submitted as a result of Cabinet's decision/s must be with Department of Communities and Local Government by 27 October 2017. This decision will be exempt from the Council's Call-In procedures.

Accordingly there is insufficient time to include this decision in the next Forward Plan and wait the 28 days required by Regulation 9 before making the decision(s).

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cc: Vice-Chairmen of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee Opposition Spokesmen Group Leaders