NOTICE 2

HERTFORDSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

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

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 the COVID Marshals and the corresponding STA

<u>Reasons</u>

The original contract was worth £141k for a short period -30^{th} Nov to 10^{th} Jan - with an option to extend if required to enable a quick procurement to take place. However, the client is now having to put in place this more substantial extension due to the change in Tier and a request from central government for Local Authorities to provide extra resources to reduce the infection rate of COVID-19 within Hertfordshire.

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.

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