NOTICE

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 11 of the 2012 Regulations that a decision on the following matter will be made by officers:-

AWARD OF CONTRACT FOR THE SUPPLY OF THE FREE SCHOOL MEALS FOOD VOUCHERS FOR THE EASTER AND WHITSON HOLIDAYS.

<u>Reasons</u>

The decision relates to award of a contract for the supply of free school meal food vouchers for the Easter and Whiston holidays. There is a risk that families will not receive the Free School Meals food vouchers in time if there is a delay to this decision being taken.

As such, the decision on this matter must be taken by such a date that it is impracticable to comply with Regulation 10 of the 2012 Regulations.

In accordance with the Regulations and the County Council's Constitution, the consent of the Chairman of the Council's Overview and Scrutiny Committee has been obtained and the relevant Opposition Spokesmen have been consulted on the matter about which the decision is to be made.

QUENTIN BAKER CHIEF LEGAL OFFICER 3 MARCH 2021