30TH SEPTEMBER, 2009

COUNCIL

Quarterly Report on Special Urgency Decisions

Report of the Leader

The Council's Constitution requires that a quarterly report be submitted to Council on executive decisions which have been taken under Rule 16 of the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2000.

This is the special urgency provision under which key decisions may be taken by the executive notwithstanding that the item was not contained in the Forward Plan and compliance with Regulation 15 (the general exception) was impracticable.

The undermentioned decisions have been made since the last quarterly report to Council:-

Decision Taker	Date	Description of Decision
School Organisation Committee of Cabinet	16.07.09	To defer the decision on the statutory proposal to discontinue Gillas Lane Primary School until the Local Government Ombudsman has concluded her investigation into complaints submitted regarding the consultation process which had taken place prior to the publication of the statutory notice.

Recommendation

That the Council notes the content of this report.