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

Notice under Regulation 10: Key Decision where less than 28 days' public notice has been given

Pursuant to Regulation 10 of the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012 ('the Regulations'), I hereby give Notice that:-

The **Cabinet** intends to make a Key Decision on behalf of Barnsley MBC on 2nd November 2022 regarding proposals to strengthen children's services in the borough in response to rising demand and both the economic and global challenges impacting families particularly vulnerable to these pressures.

It has not been possible to give 28 clear days' notice of the intention to make the Key Decision. The reasons why compliance is impracticable in this matter are as follows:-

These investment proposals should be in place without any reasonable delay so that an increasing number of vulnerable children are supported and protected. Evidence of these investment proposals should be demonstrated prior to the impending inspection of local authority children's services in Barnsley which could take place at any time during the remainder of this calendar year

Contact: On behalf of Carly Speechley (Executive Director: Children's Services)

Dated: 5th October 2022

Sukdave Ghuman, Service Director Law and Governance

As required by Regulation 10 of the Regulations, the Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee has been informed of the matter about which the Key Decision is to be made by and given the above notice.