

COUNCIL - 13 MAY 2010

REPORT OF THE LEADER OF THE COUNCIL - MATTERS DEALT WITH IN ACCORDANCE WITH RULE 17 OF THE SCRUTINY PROCEDURE RULES (CALL-IN AND URGENCY)

I wish to report that the Chair of the relevant Overview and Scrutiny Committee has given his consent, under Rule 17 of the Scrutiny Procedure Rules, to the following issues being dealt with, on the basis that the decisions could not be reasonable deferred and therefore not subject to call-in.

CABINET - 15 APRIL 2010

341. PROPOSED REPLACEMENT NETHERTON ACTIVITY CENTRE

The Cabinet considered the report of the Strategic Director - Communities on the second stage tender submissions received for the construction of a replacement Netherton Activity Centre.

RESOLVED: That

- (1) the Strategic Director - Communities be authorised, in conjunction with Capita Symonds Ltd., to provisionally appoint Conlon Construction Limited of Preston as the preferred contractor for the project and for the Environmental and Technical Services Director to establish a target cost for the project; and
- (2) it be noted that the Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee (Performance and Corporate Services) has given his consent, under Rule 17 of the Scrutiny Procedure Rules, for this decision to be treated as urgent and not subject to "call in" on the basis that any delay in the implementation of the decision will prevent the commencement of the intensive pre-contract cost agreement process which in turn will prevent the commencement and completion of works in accordance with the required Programme.

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