

URGENCY NOTICE

Stevenage Borough Council

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

This is a formal notice pursuant to Regulation 10 (3) of the 2012 Regulations setting out the reasons why compliance with Regulation 9 is impractical with regard to reaching decision(s) regarding the Danestrete Roundabout Site Disposal.

Reasons

The decision was not included on the Forward Plan as confirmation was not received until very recently that decisions on this matter would be required at this juncture. The matter is urgent and cannot wait until the following meeting of the Executive because a decision is required promptly to enable the commencement of the Matalan Site redevelopment scheme.

Accordingly, there was insufficient time to have included this decision in the most recently published version of the Forward Plan and wait the 28 days as required by Regulation 9 before making the decision.

A Key Decision on the above matter (to be taken in private, as it includes exempt information as defined in the Local Government Act 1972, as amended) will be made by the Executive at its meeting to be held on 9 June 2021.

The consent of the Chairman of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee has been obtained to the above reasons for invoking the Urgency procedure.

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BOROUGH SOLICITOR
4 June 2021