WRITTEN STATEMENT OF A NON-KEY DECISION CABINET

ITEM:	SHARED SERVICES UPDATE
Members Present	Councillors: AJM Blackshaw, H Bramer, PM Morgan, RJ Phillips, PD Price (Deputy Leader), DB Wilcox
Date of Decision:	5 April 2012
Exempt:	No
Confidential	No
Urgency/Special Urgency:	No
(As defined in Constitution)	
Purpose:	The purpose of this report is to update Cabinet on the progress of the Shared Services Programme, including an update on the development of Hoople Ltd.
Decision:	 THAT: a) progress to date with the development of Hoople Ltd be noted; b) that it be noted that an annual shareholders' report will be produced by Hoople Ltd; and c) progress on the implementation of the remainder of the Shared Services Programme and the proposal to reappraise options for support services as part of the Root and Branch Review Programme be noted.
Reasons for the Decision:	To ensure that the Cabinet is briefed and is able to give guidance as appropriate on the work on Shared Services, to enable the projected benefits and cost savings to be delivered.
Options Considered:	There are no other options.
Declaration of Interest:	
Date the decision is due to take effect:	18 April 2012

COUNCILLOR PD PRICE:
DEPUTY LEADER OF THE COUNCIL

Date: 5 April 2012

HEREFORDSHIRE COUNCIL

To be completed by officer:	
Date consent received from Chairman of Overview and Scrutiny Committee:	
Subject to Call-in:	This Decision was not called in
Was the decision modified?	Yes/No
If yes Cabinet Member () decision reference:	
If no any comment(s) to be noted	
Date original decision took effect:	18 April 2012