

**WRITTEN STATEMENT OF A NON-KEY DECISION
CABINET**

ITEM:	OUTCOME OF ADULT SAFEGUARDING PEER CHALLENGE AND ACTION PLAN
Members Present	Councillors: AW Johnson (Leader), H Bramer, J Lester, PM Morgan (Deputy Leader), GJ Powell, PD Price, P Rone.
Date of Decision:	3 December 2015
Exempt:	No
Confidential	No
Urgency/Special Urgency: (As defined in Constitution)	No
Purpose:	To consider the outcome of the Adult Safeguarding Peer Challenge undertaken in September 2015 and agree the council's response to the areas for improvement identified.
Decision:	<p>THAT:</p> <p>(a) the outcome of the review attached at appendix 1 be noted;</p> <p>(b) the action plan attached as appendix 2 be approved as the response to the areas for improvement identified; and</p> <p>(c) any further actions necessary be identified to secure improvement.</p>
Reasons for the Decision:	<p>The council is required to submit a response to the report outlining how it intends to address each of the identified areas for improvement, the timescales for action to be undertaken, and the monitoring and evaluation arrangements.</p> <p>To provide cabinet with an opportunity to comment and make further recommendations as part of the improvement process of a key priority area for the council.</p>
Options Considered:	No alternative options are listed as this is a report to enable cabinet to consider and approve the proposed actions in response to the peer review team's identified areas for improvement and make further recommendations.
Conflict of Interest ■ (See below)	
Date the decision is due to take effect:	9 December 2015

COUNCILLOR AW JOHNSON :..... Date: 3 December 2015
LEADER OF THE COUNCIL

- a record of any conflict of interest declared by any executive member who is consulted by the member which relates to the decision;

And

- in respect of any declared conflict of interest, a note of dispensation granted by the relevant local authority's head of paid service.