

Issue reference: I50050253

Written statement of a non-key decision Cabinet

Title	Ofsted Monitoring Visit Feedback		
Decision maker	Cabinet Information about cabinet, including the names and contact details of the cabinet members, can be found here: http://councillors.herefordshire.gov.uk/mgCommitteeDetails.aspx?l D=251		
Date of decision	19 December 2024		
Report exemption class	Open		
Purpose	To share the feedback letter from Ofsted following their fifth Monitoring Visit conducted on 22 - 23 October 2024		
Decision	That: a) Cabinet receive and note the feedback from Ofsted Inspectors' Monitoring Visit letter, at appendix a.		
Reason for the decision	As set out in the report. Documents relating to this decision are available at http://councillors.herefordshire.gov.uk/mglssueHistoryHome.aspx?lld=50050253		
Options considered	There are no alterative options. Herefordshire Council Children's Service is judged to be inadequate by Ofsted and will be subject to monitoring visits until the next Inspection of Local Authority Children's Services (ILACS) where a re-grading will be considered		
Declarations of interest (see • below)			
Call-in expiry date (decisions are not subject to call-in where special urgency provisions apply)	27 December 2024		

Councillor:	 Date	19 December 2024	

Leader of the Council (Councillor Jonathan Lester)

 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.