

COUNCILLORS QUESTIONS TO CABINET – 12 April 2018

Question 1

Councillor RI Matthews, Herefordshire Independents

In a recent Family Court Case brought against Herefordshire Council, the Hon Mr Justice Keehan stated ‘ I have never before encountered two cases where a local authority has so seriously and serially failed to address the needs of the children in its care and so seriously misused, indeed abused, the provisions of Section 20 of the Children’s Act 1989.’

What action is being taken to address this issue?