

## **Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012**

### **Notice under Regulation 5 – private meeting where less than 28 days’ public notice has been given**

The Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012 prescribe that 28 clear days’ notice must be given by a decision-making body where it intends to hold the whole or part of a meeting in private because confidential or exempt information would otherwise be disclosed.

Under the provisions of the above named Regulations the following report entitled Leisure Centre Offer 2024/2025 contains an annex which may be considered, in private, at the meeting of Cabinet to be held on 12 December 2023.

The annex may be considered in private as it contains Exempt Information as described in Paragraph 3 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 (as amended) in that the information relates to the financial and business affairs of a third party. It is considered that disclosure of the information would adversely affect KAL and therefore the public interest in maintaining the exemption, which would protect the rights of an individual or the Council, outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information and providing greater openness in the Council’s decision making.

Please note that the covering report for this item of business will be available for public inspection and there will be public discussion of the business at the meeting. It is only if there is likely to be a need to discuss the details of the commercially sensitive information that the meeting will move into private session.

Reasons why the meeting is urgent and cannot reasonably be deferred:

*To enable the decision to be taken on the decision date scheduled, in accordance with the issued key Decision Notice.*

Dated: 4 December 2023

Julie Muscroft

Service Director – Legal, Governance and Commissioning

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As required by Regulation 5 of the Regulations, the Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Management Committee has been informed of the matter about which the decision is to be made by and given the above notice.