Notice of an Executive decision under the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012

The Cabinet will be considering the following matter, which is a key decision and an exempt matter, on 9th February 2022

Sandwell Community Dementia Support Service; Lead Provider breach of contract

The item seeks approval to authorise officers to directly award a contract for the community dementia support service to a provider nominated by a group consisting of the delivery partners of the current service.

The Regulations require that 28 clear days' notice is given before a key decision is made and where an item is to be considered in private session. However, this was impracticable on this occasion due to time constraints and the Council having to address the continuation of this service. It is on this basis that the report come to Cabinet on 9th February 2022 for decision.

Due to this, and in accordance with the Regulations, the Chair of the Budget and Corporate Scrutiny Management Board has been informed of the special urgency provisions and has given their consent to the decision being taken by the Cabinet.

1 February 2022