

# BRIDGEND COUNTY BOROUGH COUNCIL

## REPORT TO COUNCIL

4 OCTOBER 2017

### REPORT OF THE MONITORING OFFICER

#### AMENDMENT TO THE SCHEME OF DELEGATIONS

##### 1. Purpose of Report

- 1.1 The purpose of the report is to seek approval for a series of amendments which have been made to the Scheme of Delegation of Functions.

##### 2. Connection to Corporate Improvement Objectives / Other Corporate Priorities

- 2.1 The amendment of the Scheme of Delegations will support effective decision making and the achievement of all the Corporate Priorities.

##### 3. Background

- 3.1 A number of administrative amendments have been made and this report consolidates those updates and advises of the outcomes of the subsequent review of the Scheme of Delegations which was undertaken.

##### 4. Current situation / proposal

###### 4.1 Changes to the titles and responsibilities of Cabinet Members Portfolios.

- 4.1.1 The titles and portfolios of the Cabinet Members have been revised. The functions allocated to each Cabinet Member required some amendments to be made in particular Scheme A to reflect the changes to their responsibilities accordingly.

###### 4.2 Review

- 4.2.1 A desktop review was undertaken to ensure that the Scheme was up-to-date and fit for purpose. Some revisions were required and are identified at **Appendix 1** using tracked changes.

- 4.3 Council is requested to note that a similar report was presented to Cabinet on 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2017 requesting approval of the amendments to the Scheme in relation to its functions. Once the approval process and call-in is completed, the Scheme will be updated, published and Corporate Directors will be requested to update their Register of Delegations to reflect these changes.

##### 5. Effect upon Policy Framework & Procedure Rules

- 5.1 The Scheme of Delegations will be updated accordingly.

## **6. Equality Impact Assessment**

6.1 There are no equality implications arising from this report.

## **7. Financial Implications.**

7.1 None.

## **8. Recommendation.**

8.1 Council is recommended to approve the Scheme of Delegations in relation to its functions as attached at Appendix 1.

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### **Background documents:**

None