

**Manchester City Council  
Report for Information**

**Report to:** Council – 18 November 2020

**Subject:** Urgent Key Decisions

**Report of:** City Solicitor

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**Purpose of report**

To report those key decisions that have been taken in accordance with the urgency provisions in the Council's Constitution.

**Recommendation**

To note the report.

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**Wards affected:** All

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**Financial consequences for the Revenue budget**

None

**Financial consequences for the Capital Budget**

None

**Implications for:**

**Antipoverty**  
No

**Equal Opportunities**  
No

**Environment**  
No

**Employment**  
No

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**Background documents:**

None.

## **1. Background**

1.1 The Constitution (Overview and Scrutiny Procedure Rules) establishes a procedure for dealing with key decisions where action needs to be taken immediately for reasons of urgency, and is therefore not subject to the normal call in arrangements.

1.2 The procedures states that the chair of the appropriate scrutiny committee must agree that both the decision proposed is reasonable in all the circumstances, and to it being treated as a matter of urgency.

**2.** Such decisions are to be reported to the Council.

## **3. Urgent Key Decisions taken since the last meeting of Council**

3.1 No urgent key decisions requiring exemption from the call in procedure have been taken since the last meeting of Council.