

Brent Council
Record of Officer Key Decision



DECISION MAKER	
Decision Maker: Strategic Director, Children and Young People	
Authority for Delegated Decision: (Cabinet Decision or Officer Scheme of Delegation - set out at, Part 3 of the Constitution)	
The Office Scheme of Delegation grants to Strategic Directors authority to approve the tender and award of contracts up to a value of £2m.	
DECISION	
Decision Title: Authority to Tender a Combined Contract for An Independent Reviewing Officer Service for Looked After Children and a Fostering Review Service	Date of Decision: 21/04/20
Please confirm that this is a Key Decision? Yes	If Yes, have the call-in provisions been dis-applied? No - the 5 day call-in period must be observed before the decision can be implemented
Describe the decision taken: Approval of the invitation of tenders for a combined contract to provide an Independent Reviewing Officer Service for Looked After Children and a Fostering Review Service for a period of three (3) years with the option to extend for a further one (1) year from 1 October 2020.	
Members consulted: Lead Member for Children’s Safeguarding, Early Help and Social Care.	
Please detail any conflicts of interest declared by any members consulted. N/A	If relevant, was a dispensation granted by the Chief Executive? N/A
REPORT	
Please confirm that:	
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c) the report details any alternative options considered and rejected.	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Signature: *G. E. Tolley*