

**SCHEDULE 12A LOCAL GOVERNMENT ACT 1972
EXEMPTION FROM DISCLOSURE OF DOCUMENTS**

MEETING AND DATE OF MEETING: Single Member decision
TITLE OF REPORT: Creation of Family Support Worker post
AUTHOR: Gill Cox

I have considered grounds for exemption of information contained in the report referred to above and make the following recommendation to the Proper Officer:-

EXEMPTIONS APPLYING TO THE REPORT:

The background paper will be exempt on the basis of paragraphs 12 – information relating to a particular individual and 13 – information which is likely to reveal the identity of an individual of Schedule 12A (Access to Information: Exempt Information) of the Local Government Act 1972.

FACTORS IN FAVOUR OF DISCLOSURE:

Background reasons for proposal to create post would be completely open for scrutiny.

PREJUDICE WHICH WOULD RESULT IF THE INFORMATION WERE DISCLOSED:

Information relating to the individual circumstances of a family receiving services from Children's Services would be disclosed in breach of their rights to confidentiality and privacy.

MY VIEW ON THE PUBLIC INTEREST TEST IS AS FOLLOWS:

Sufficient information is available in the main body of the report to allow for proper scrutiny and challenge and that therefore the individuals rights to confidentiality and privacy is greater than the public interest of making this information available.

RECOMMENDED DECISION ON EXEMPTION FROM DISCLOSURE:

The background report should be exempt from disclosure.

Date: 29.09.15



Signed:

Post: Service manager, Children's Services

I accept/do not accept the recommendation made above

Proper Officer: 