

## APPENDIX 3

### DEVOLUTION DEAL EOI

<b>Preferred geography (upper-tier local authorities in the area)</b>	A 'Heart of Wessex' partnership of Dorset, Somerset and Wiltshire Councils, with scope for evolution to include other partners such as Swindon Borough Council and Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole Council should they wish to participate in future.
<b>Initial preference on mayoral / non-mayoral devolution</b>	Non-Mayoral Combined Authority (subject to further discussions).
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