

REPORT TO COUNCIL		Report No. 9
Date of Meeting	16 th October 2007	
Title of Report	Changes to the Scheme of Delegation to Officers	
Portfolio	Democracy and Governance	
Link to Corporate Priorities	Governance underpins the delivery of all the Corporate Priorities	
Key Decision	No	
Executive Workplan Ref	B351	
Public Report	Yes	

Summary of Report

To amend the Scheme of Delegation to Officers to reflect the Management restructure.

Officer Recommendations

1. **To amend the Scheme of Delegation to Officers as set out in Appendix 1.**
2. **As from 17th October 2007, any specific authority delegated to a postholder mentioned in column 1 of Appendix 1 will be exercised by the postholder mentioned in column 2.**

Other than those implications agreed with the relevant Officers and referred to below, there are no other implications associated with this report.

Financial Implications	Legal Implications	Community & Environmental Implications	Human Resources Implications	Equality & Diversity Implications
None	None	None	None	None

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1. Introduction

- 1.1 The Scheme of Delegation to Officers needs to be amended to reflect the recent Management restructure.

2. Options and Options Appraisal

- 2.1 Option 1: To amend the Scheme of Delegation to Officers as set out in Appendix 1 to the Report.

3. Background Information

- 3.1 Two Deputy Chief Executives and Five Heads of Service have been appointed as part of the Management restructure.
- 3.2 The remaining Heads of Service posts will only be filled if the Government's decision concerning Unitary status for Wiltshire is overturned.
- 3.3 Under the new hybrid management structure all Team Leaders will be re-designated Managers.
- 3.4 The Council's Scheme of Delegation to Officers needs to be amended to reflect these changes. The suggested amendments are set out in Appendix 1 and do not contain any new delegations.
- 3.5 The Scheme of Delegations to Officers has already been amended to reflect the appointment of the Deputy Chief Executives.
- 3.6 Specific delegations already granted will also need to reflect the new management structure.

Appendices:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• 1 – Amended Scheme of Delegation to Officers
Background Documents Used in the Preparation of this Report:	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• None

Previous Decisions Connected with this Report

Report	Committee & Date	Minute Reference
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Delegations to Officers	Council – 24 th April 2007	C113