Deputy Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Finance Decision-Making Meeting 14/June2021



Notification of Decision of the Deputy Leader of the Council and Cabinet Member for Finance

Present: Councillor Mike Evemy

Officers: Jenny Poole, Mandy Fathers, Democratic Services

1. Discretionary Rate Relief - Business Rates, Expanded Retail Discount and Nursery Discount

This report sets out amendments to the Council's Discretionary Rate Relief Policy to reflect government proposals in supporting businesses as a result of the Coronavirus pandemic and provides details on two ongoing temporary measures;

- Expanded Retail Discount Relief
- Nursery Discount Relief.

Decision:

That the Deputy Leader and Cabinet Member for Finance endorses the following:

- a) Expanded Retail Relief as detailed in paragraph 2.1;
- b) Expanded Retail Relief as detailed in paragraph 2.2.

Reason for Decision of the Deputy Leader:

The Authority intends to implement the extension of this relief for both sectors immediately to reduce the financial strain on eligible businesses.

ACTION BY:

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Closing Date for Call-In: 21 June 2021 (5.00pm)

Action Embargoed until: 22 June 2021

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