

STOCKTON-ON-TEES BOROUGH COUNCIL

CABINET RECOMMENDATIONS

PROFORMA

Cabinet Meeting17th July 2014

1. Title of Item/Report

Coroner's Service

2. Record of the Decision

Consideration was given to a report on the Coroner's Service. Middlesbrough Borough Council was the lead authority for the Teesside Coroner's Service. Following the resignation of the Senior Coroner for Teesside, Middlesbrough was proposing to produce a business case regarding future options for Teesside's Coroner's Service and had asked for each relevant local Authority's support in this respect.

RESOLVED that:-

1. The approach outlined in the report be endorsed, and
2. The Corporate Director of Resources and the Director of Law and Democracy be authorised to take any further action on the Council's behalf which may be required, including in relation to the proposed business case, in consultation with the Leader of the Council, and the Cabinet Member for Corporate Management and Finance.

3. Reasons for the Decision

To support the development of the business case, in order to ensure that the options for coroner arrangements for the area are fully assessed and the most appropriate option chosen.

4. Alternative Options Considered and Rejected

None

5. Declared (Cabinet Member) Conflicts of Interest

Councillor Harrington declared a personal non prejudicial interest in respect of agenda item 16 – Coroners Service as he was employed by Middlesbrough Borough Council who were the lead authority on the

Coroner's Service.

6. Details of any Dispensations

N/A

7. Date and Time by which Call In must be executed

Midnight on Friday, 25th July 2014

Proper Officer
21 July 2014