

<b>DECISION-MAKER:</b>	COUNCIL
<b>SUBJECT:</b>	OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY: SUMMARY OF CALL-IN ACTIVITY
<b>DATE OF DECISION:</b>	11 JULY 2012
<b>REPORT OF:</b>	SENIOR MANAGER – CUSTOMER AND BUSINESS IMPROVEMENT
<b>STATEMENT OF CONFIDENTIALITY</b>	
None	

### **BRIEF SUMMARY**

This report provides the Council with a summary of the use of the Call-in procedure over the last six months.

### **RECOMMENDATIONS:**

- (i) That the report be noted.

### **REASONS FOR REPORT RECOMMENDATIONS**

1. Following changes agreed at 12<sup>th</sup> May 2010 meeting of Full Council, the Council's Constitution requires the use of Call-in to be reported to Council on a half yearly basis.

### **ALTERNATIVE OPTIONS CONSIDERED AND REJECTED**

2. None.

### **DETAIL (Including consultation carried out)**

3. Following an amendment approved at the Full Council meeting on 12<sup>th</sup> May 2010, Overview and Scrutiny Procedure Rules requires Full Council to receive a report every six months on the use of the Call-in procedure.
4. Two Executive decisions have been called-in since the previous update report to Full Council in November 2011. The details of the Call-ins and the outcomes resulting from the Call-In meetings are summarised in this report.
5. **Cab 11/12 7331 – Southampton City Council's Change Programme**  
**Reasons given for the Call-in:**

- To provide clarification relating to how elected members will engage with the Council's Change Programme.

### **Recommendations from the Call-in meeting:**

At its meeting on 15<sup>th</sup> December 2011, the Overview and Scrutiny Management Committee considered the report of the Senior Manager – Customer and Business Improvement, detailing the Call-in of a decision made by Cabinet on 21<sup>st</sup> November 2011 relating to Southampton City Council's Change Programme.

The Committee recommended that the Leader of the Council be requested to reconsider the called-in decision at the next decision making meeting taking particular consideration of the following:

- (i) that the words 'and implement' are deleted from the recommendation; and
- (ii) that before adoption of changes items are taken to the Leader's Group meetings for consideration.

At the 19 December 2011 meeting Cabinet agreed to remove the words 'and implement' from the report.

6. **CAB 11/12 7980 - Future Service Delivery Arrangements for ROMANSE and CCTV**

**Reasons given for the Call-in:**

- Insufficient detail provided to the OSMC at the meeting on 12<sup>th</sup> April 2012 to have a full discussion on the issue.

**Recommendations from the Call-in meeting:**

At its meeting on 8<sup>th</sup> May 2012, the Overview and Scrutiny Management Committee considered the report of the Senior Manager – Customer and Business Improvement, detailing the Call-in of a decision made by Cabinet on 16<sup>th</sup> April 2012 relating to Future Service Delivery Arrangements for ROMANSE and CCTV.

The Committee recommended that:

- (i) the Decision Makers re-consider the called-in decision at the next decision meeting; and
- (ii) that the Chair and Vice-Chair of the Overview and Scrutiny Management Committee should be briefed on the confidential details of future projects.

Cabinet, at its meeting on 8<sup>th</sup> May 2012, confirmed that the decision should be implemented as per the original recommendations.

**RESOURCE IMPLICATIONS**

**Capital/Revenue**

7. None.

**Property/Other**

8. None.

**LEGAL IMPLICATIONS**

**Statutory power to undertake proposals in the report:**

9. The duty to undertake overview and scrutiny is set out in Section 21 of the Local Government Act 2000 and the Local Government and Public Involvement in Health Act 2007.

**Other Legal Implications:**

10. None.

**POLICY FRAMEWORK IMPLICATIONS**

11. None.

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**KEY DECISION?** No

<b>WARDS/COMMUNITIES AFFECTED:</b>	None directly as a result of this report.
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**SUPPORTING DOCUMENTATION**

**Non-confidential appendices are in the Members' Rooms and can be accessed on-line**

**Appendices**

	None
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**Documents In Members' Rooms**

	None
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**Integrated Impact Assessment**

Do the implications/subject of the report require an Integrated Impact Assessment (IIA) to be carried out.	No
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**Other Background Documents**

**Integrated Impact Assessment and Other Background documents available for inspection at:**

Title of Background Paper(s)

Relevant Paragraph of the Access to Information Procedure Rules / Schedule 12A allowing document to be Exempt/Confidential (if applicable)

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