

To: Team Manager – Democratic & Electoral Services
From: Councillor H Kane
Chairman of the Council
Date: 27 November 2020
Your ref:
Our ref: LDR-001-2020/21



Epping Forest District Council

Overview and Scrutiny Rule 53 (Special Urgency) - Additional Restrictions Grant Policy

I confirm that, in accordance with the above-mentioned rule, I am satisfied that the following decision of the Leader of Council is reasonable in all the circumstances and should be treated as a matter of urgency.

I am also satisfied that any delay likely to be caused by the call-in process would seriously prejudice the public interest, as it would hold up the payment of the Grants to local businesses within the District.

Decision:

- (1) That the Additional Restrictions Grant policy be approved; and**
- (2) That the Chairman of Council be requested to waive the call-in requirements for this decision due to it being considered urgent and any delay caused by the call-in process would seriously prejudice the public interest.**

I therefore determine that the call-in provisions of the Overview and Scrutiny Rules, which would otherwise apply, be disregarded for this decision.

I confirm that notice of this decision will be reported to the Council at its meeting on 17 December 2020.

Signed:

Councillor H. Kane

Chairman of Epping Forest District Council

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