



Haringey Council

General Purposes Committee

24 September 2009

Report Title: Decision Taken under Urgency Procedures or Delegated Authority –
Recruitment of Director of Children & Families post

Report of the Head of Local Democracy

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Wards(s) affected: **Not applicable**

Report for: **Information**

1. Purpose of the report

1.1 To inform the General Purposes Committee of an urgent decision taken under delegated authority by the Director of Children & Young People's Service in consultation with the Cabinet Member for Children & Young People's Service and the Chair of the General Purposes Committee.

2. Introduction by Cabinet Member (if necessary)

2.1. Not applicable

3. State link(s) with Council Plan Priorities and actions and /or other Strategies:

3.1. The post of Director of Children & Families is key towards meeting the Council's Joint Area Review (JAR) action plan and securing safeguarding measures in the authority.

4. Recommendations

4.1. That the report be noted

5. Reason for recommendation(s)

5.1. Not applicable.

6. Other options considered

6.1. Not applicable

7. Summary

7.1 To inform the General Purposes Committee of an urgent decision taken under delegated authority by the Director of Children & Young People's Service in consultation with the Cabinet Member for Children & Young People's Service and the Chair of the General Purposes Committee.

8. Chief Financial Officer Comments

8.1. These are contained in the main report.

9. Head of Legal Services Comments

9.1. These are contained in the main report.

10. Head of Procurement Comments – [Required for Procurement Committee]

10.1. Not applicable

11. Equalities & Community Cohesion Comments

11.1. These are contained in the main report.

12. Consultation

12.1. Details are contained in the main report.

13. Service Financial Comments

13.1. Details are contained in the main report.

14. Use of appendices /Tables and photographs

14.1. Not applicable

15. Local Government (Access to Information) Act 1985

15.1 Background Papers

The following background papers were used in the preparation of this report:

Record of Decision Taken under Urgency Procedures or Delegated Authority
- Recruitment of Director of Children & Families post.

The background papers are located at River Park House, 225 High Road, Wood Green, London N22 8HQ.

To inspect them or to discuss this report further, please contact Natalie Cole on 020 8489 2919.

