

Additional information following the Policy and Development Review Committees (PDRC) consideration of the Council Tax Support Scheme 2017/18

As per paragraph 3.6 of the Council Tax Support Scheme 2017/18 covering report to Cabinet, PDRC considered the Council Tax Support Scheme 2017/18 on Wednesday 26 October 2016 and have made the following recommendation.

Recommendation

That as per paragraph 3.6 table 2, option 11 and paragraphs 3.7 and 3.8. If Central Government does not change the Housing Benefit regulations to limit the number of dependant children within the calculation of Housing Benefit to two, the Council will only use paragraph 3.8 for option 10 – to remove the Work Related Activity component in the calculation of Council Tax Support and will recommend that Option 11 is still applied.

The Cabinet Member for Finance and Performance was in attendance and is minded to accept the additional recommendation.

Cabinet are asked to consider whether they wish to add this additional recommendation.