

BUSINESS SUPPORT OVERVIEW AND SCRUTINY COMMITTEE

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EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC

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1 Summary

- 1.1 To provide summary information for the following exempt appendix that may be considered if the press and public are excluded.

2 Recommendation

- 2.1. If Members wish to discuss the appendix on the call in item, the Committee is recommended to exclude the press and public as they contain commercially sensitive information under paragraph 3 of part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972.

3 Details

- 3.1 If Members wish to discuss the following appendices they are recommended to pass a resolution requiring the press and public to leave the meeting.

Report Title	Call in – Furniture for new Civic HQ
Agenda Item	Exempt Appendix 6(F)
Summary	This appendix sets out details of the bidders and the tenders received.
Classification	Not for publication under paragraph 3 of part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972, as this appendix contains commercially sensitive information, which if disclosed would prejudice negotiations. It is considered the need to keep information exempt outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

- 3.2. Paragraphs 1-7 of part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 permit the Council to restrict the circulation of reports. The following paragraphs have been referred to for this meeting:-

Definitions
3 Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information)

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Background papers

There are none