

**SOUTH THAMES GATEWAY BUILDING CONTROL  
JOINT COMMITTEE  
8 DECEMBER 2011**

**EXCLUSION OF PRESS AND PUBLIC**

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**Summary**

This report summarises the content of the appendix and report which, in the opinion of the proper officer, contain exempt information within one of the categories in Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972. It is a matter for the Joint Committee to determine whether the press and public should be excluded from the meeting during consideration of these documents.

**1. Recommendation**

- 1.1 The Joint Committee is required to decide whether to exclude the press and public during consideration of the following documents because consideration of these matters in public would disclose information falling within one of the descriptions of exempt information contained in Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972, as specified below, and, in all the circumstances of the case, the public interest in maintaining the exemption, outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information.

<b>Report Title</b>	South Thames Gateway Building Control Business Plan 2011/2014 (Appendix)
<b>Agenda Item</b>	5 (Appendix)
<b>Summary</b>	The Business Plan outlines how the building control function will be delivered on behalf of the three partnership Council's up until 2014 and indicates what the reduced contributions will be up until 2015
<b>Category of exempt information (Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972)</b>	Not for publication under paragraph 3 of part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 – information relating to financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information).

<b>Report Title</b>	Monitoring Report September to November
<b>Agenda Item</b>	9
<b>Summary</b>	This report updates the Joint Committee on the current forecast for the 2011/12 financial year and gives details against the progress of the objectives of the Business Plan 2011/2014.
<b>Category of exempt information (Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972)</b>	Not for publication under paragraph 3 of part 1 of Schedule 12A of the Local Government Act 1972 – information relating to financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information).

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**Background Papers:**

None