DECISION UNDER DELEGATED POWERS

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Subject	UK Health Security Agency AGREEMENT FOR PROVISION OF FOOD, WATER AND ENVIRONMENTAL MICROBIOLOGY SERVICES TO LOCAL AUTHORITIES AND PORT HEALTH AUTHORITIES 2023/2
Officer Requesting Decision	Gill Parsons, Environmental Health Officer
Officer Making the Decision	David Burrows, Chief Officer Regulation and Safety
Authority for Decision	Council Constitution Part 2B Scheme of delegation to officers. Delegated authority under paragraph 2.5 (b) – each Chief Officer is authorised to take any action to maintain the operation and effectiveness of services within their remit.
Recommendation	That Legal sign the Agreement document reference FNEW140.07
Alternatives considered and rejected	None. Contract needed for compliance with public health duties. Government agency.
Decision	That the Agreement is signed by Legal as required by the Council Constitution
Reason	To meet statutory obligations with a government agency.
Date	31st August 2023
Background Papers	Agreement.
Decision record kept until	August 2028
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Signed		
Dated	31/08/2023	