# NORTH YORKSHIRE COUNTY COUNCIL

#### Access to Information Procedure Rule 4

# FURTHER NOTICE OF PRIVATE ITEM

#### Approved provider list for school locality boards across North Yorkshire

The County Council's Constitution provides that at least 28 clear days before a private meeting (a meeting, or part of a meeting, of the executive decision making body during which the public are excluded) the executive decision-making body must give notice of its intention to hold the meeting in private (including a statement of the reasons for holding it in private) by making the notice available at County Hall and at the venue for the meeting (if different) and publishing it on the Council's website.

The Constitution further provides that at least five clear days before a private meeting, the executive decision making body must give **further** notice of its intention to hold the meeting in private including:

- a statement of the reasons for holding it in private;
- details of any representations received about why the meeting should be open to the public; and
- a statement of its response to any such representations

by making the notice available at County Hall and at the venue for the meeting (if different) and publishing it on the Council's website

It is anticipated that on 25 May 2021 a report seeking approval to procure the arrangements to support the school locality boards, which includes support in relation to inclusion and school improvement across North Yorkshire, will be considered by the Corporate Director of Children and Young People's Services. The intention to make this key decision is published on the Forward Plan.

The report is likely to contain exempt information and is anticipated to be of the type defined in paragraphs 1,3 and 5 of Part 1 of Schedule 12A to the Local Government Act 1972 (i.e. Information relating to any individual; Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information); and Information in respect of which a claim to legal professional privilege could be maintained in legal proceedings). It is considered that the public interest in maintaining the exemption outweighs the public interest in disclosing the information and therefore this part of the meeting may be held in private.

A notice giving the required 28 days' notice of the intention to hold this part of the Corporate Director of Children and Young People's Services meeting in private was published on 13 April 2021 and confirmed that any representations as to why this part of the meeting should be held in public should be sent to:

Barry Khan Assistant Chief Executive (Legal and Democratic Services) North Yorkshire County Council County Hall Northallerton North Yorkshire DL7 8AD Tel: 01609 532173 Email: barry.khan@northyorks.gov.uk

To date, no representations have been received as to why this part of the meeting should be held in public.

It is therefore intended that this matter shall be considered in private by the Corporate Director of Children and Young People's Services on 25 May 2021, for the reasons set out earlier in this notice.

# BARRY KHAN Assistant Chief Executive (Legal and Democratic Services)

Dated: 20 May 2021