

LONDON BOROUGH OF BROMLEY

STATEMENT OF EXECUTIVE DECISION

The Portfolio Holder for Public Protection and Safety, Councillor Kate Lymer has made the following executive decision:

FOOD SAFETY SERVICE PLAN 2017 TO 2018

Reference Report:

Food Safety Service Plan 2017 to 2018

Enc. 1 for Food Safety Service Plan 2017 to 2018

Decision:

That the Food Safety Service Plan 2017 to 2018 be approved.

That it be noted that targets to reduce the backlog of inspections are dependent on being able to recruit to the additional food safety posts.

Reasons:

The Food Safety Service Plan outlines a range of objectives for 2017/18 which have been developed to address a number of issues identified by the Food Standards Agency following its audit of the Food Safety Service in April 2017, including the delivery of a comprehensive programme of inspections. The delivery of the Food Safety Service Plan will be supported by additional resources agreed by the Council's Executive at its meeting on 9th August 2017, including funding to appoint two full-time permanent and three full-time temporary food safety officers for a period of up to 18 months.

The proposed decision was scrutinised by the Public Protection and Safety PDS Committee on 27th September 2017 and the Committee supported the proposal.

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Date of Decision: 11th October 2017

Implementation Date (subject to call-in): 18th October 2017

Decision Reference: PPS15039