LONDON BOROUGH OF BROMLEY

STATEMENT OF EXECUTIVE DECISION

The Portfolio Holder for Resources, Councillor Graham Arthur has made the following executive decision:

TREASURY MANAGEMENT - QUARTER 2 PERFORMANCE 2017/18 & MID-YEAR REVIEW

Reference Report:

Treasury Management - Quarter 2 Performance 2017/18 & Mid-Year Review

Decision:

- 1. That the Treasury Management performance for the second quarter of 2017/18 be noted;
- 2. That Council be recommended to approve the 2017/18 prudential indicators as set out in Annex B1 of the report; and
- 3. That Council be recommended to approve the increase in limit to £100m for pooled funds/collective investment vehicles as set out in the report.

Reasons:

In line with government guidance, the Council's policy is to seek to achieve the highest rate of return on investments whilst maintaining appropriate levels of risk, particularly security and liquidity.

As a result of the good returns earned by the Council's current investments in pooled funds, the lack of 'simple' investment opportunities providing a good return, and the need for the Council to generate income, it is proposed that the limit for such investments be increased from £80m to £100m.

The proposed decision was scrutinised by the Executive and Resources PDS Committee on 29th November 2017 and the Committee supported the proposal.

Councillor Graham Arthur Portfolio Holder for Resources

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Date of Decision: 6 December 2017 Implementation Date (subject to call-in): 13 December 2017 Decision Reference: RES17022