

APPENDIX C

EXTRACT of the MINUTES of a meeting of the POLICY DEVELOPMENT GROUP held in the Council Chamber, Council Offices, Coalville on WEDNESDAY, 19 SEPTEMBER 2018

Present: Councillor M Specht (Chairman)

Councillors R Ashman, N Clarke, T Eynon, P Purver, V Richichi, A C Saffell, S Sheahan and N Smith

In Attendance: Councillors J Geary, R Johnson, J Legrys, Ms K Smith and A V Smith MBE

Portfolio Holders: Councillors A V Smith MBE

Officers: Mr J Bright, Mr M Fiander, Mr G Jones, Mr M Murphy, Mr P Sanders, Mr T Shardlow and Mrs R Wallace

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The Director of Housing and Customer Services presented the report to Members. He explained that due to consultation timescales and contrary to the recommendations in the report, that a future Cabinet meeting would consider the matter, and not the meeting in November 2018.

Councillor T Eynon felt that it was difficult to grasp all of the details due to the terminology used within the report, especially around how empty properties were treated. She asked that this be addressed for the consultation.

Regarding the care leavers proposals, Councillor S Sheahan asked if it was intended for the whole County to align. The Director of Housing and Customer Services reported that each authority has a slightly different timeline but it was the intention to be aligned across the County.

It was moved by Councillor S Sheahan, seconded by Councillor R Ashman and

RESOLVED THAT:

Comments made by the Committee be provided to a future Cabinet when considering the report.

The meeting commenced at 6.30 pm

The Chairman closed the meeting at 9.23 pm

Chairman's initials