Responses to the questions asked by Mr Goff Welchman at the Scrutiny committee Meeting held on "5 November 2024

Response to Question 1:

No, as the Council has adhered to the constitutional rules. The Cabinet made their decision at the meeting of Cabinet on the 12 November, and the decision had not been called into Scrutiny within the required timeframe.

Response provided by the Vice-Chairman of the Scrutiny Committee.

Response to Question 2:

The draft Enforcement Policy is a robust and thorough document which gives the Authority a firm basis upon which to progress enforcement action – of all types – when it is considered necessary to do so.

It should also be noted that the draft policy was before Scrutiny for noting and that it had already been recommended to Cabinet by the Planning, Policy Advisory Group which had already discussed the draft policy at its October meeting.

Response provided by the Director on Place and Economy.