

## THE ROYAL BOROUGH OF KENSINGTON AND CHELSEA

Meeting of the Council – 22 June 2005

### URGENT KEY DECISIONS TAKEN SINCE APRIL 2005

#### REPORT BY THE LEADER OF THE COUNCIL

Article 7.09(f) of the Constitution allows for key decisions to be taken without giving the prescribed notice provided that the prior agreement of the relevant OSC Chairman is obtained. The Leader of the Council is required to report quarterly to the Council on how often the urgency procedure is used and to give details in each case. The urgent decisions taken during the last quarter since January are set out in the table below. Members of the Council are asked to note these decisions; further details can be made available on request.

<b>Subject (Forward Plan reference)</b>	<b>Decision taken by</b>	<b>Decision taken</b>	<b>Reason for urgency</b>
Acceptance of DfES Transitional Support Grant for 2005-06 (01854/05/E/A)	Councillor Weale	19 May 2005	Because of the need to provide the Department for Education and Skills (DfES) with an initial list of the allocations by school by 31 May 2005. This deadline was imposed by the DfES and every endeavour was made in the short time available to follow a full consultative process including both

			the Schools' Forum and an application approval process by a sub-group of this Forum.
Targeted Capital Funding – Submission of Bids to DfES (01942/05/E/A)	Councillor Weale	27 May 2005	Because of the need to provide the DfES with bids by 27 May 2005. Preparation of the bid had necessitated consultation with the Diocesan boards and a late opportunity to rebuild Holy Trinity primary school on a single site needed full consideration.

**FOR INFORMATION**

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