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<p>(1) Topic (one sentence description of the decision being sought)</p> <p>(2) Who will take decision</p> <p>(3) Give date or period within which decision is to be taken</p> <p>(4) Directorate contact (include e-mail and telephone)</p>	<p>(5) Principal Groups/Organisations to be consulted before decision is made</p> <p>(6) Method of consultation (external only [if applicable])</p>	<p>(7) Name of person(s) to whom representations can be made (e-mail/telephone)</p> <p>(8) When should they be made by (closing date)</p>	<p>(9) List background documents submitted to Cabinet/Cabinet Member in respect of the decision</p> <p>(10) Is this information unrestricted or exempt?</p> <p>(11) Date first entered in Notice</p>
<p>KEY 12/20/21</p> <p>(1) Approval of revised Safeguarding Policy for Dover District Council</p> <p>(2) Cabinet</p> <p>(3) 5 October 2020</p> <p>(4) Shaun Taylor, Community Services Manager - Shaun.taylor@dover.gov.uk; 07837 342052</p>	<p>(5) All internal and relevant external bodies have been consulted in writing on the renewed and updated policy and procedure.</p> <p>(6) Not applicable.</p>	<p>(7) Not applicable.</p> <p>(8) Not applicable.</p>	<p>(9) Cabinet report</p> <p>(10) Unrestricted</p> <p>(11) 4 September 2020</p>
<p>Brief Details of Item: (Please provide information about the contents of this item and the reason for decision.)</p> <p>Dover District Council, like all other local authorities, is part of the statutory safeguarding role played by the wider public sector. We all have a responsibility to children, young people and vulnerable adults. DDC has the responsibility to provide, and ensure all employees adhere to, safeguarding policies and to ensure that there are easy pathways to Kent County Council to report safeguarding concerns. By ensuring our staff uphold our own Safeguarding Policy and Procedures, we will support Kent County Council in its statutory role in making safeguarding personal, and provide them with the relevant and timely information they need to investigate concerns. The current Safeguarding Policy and Procedures are not consistent with recent changes in legislation and working practices, not least because they only relate to children and make no reference to vulnerable adults.</p>			
<p>Deadline for Item: (Please indicate the date and whether this is statutory, operational or to meet the requirements of another agency.)</p> <p>5 October 2020 – statutory and operational.</p>			