

# Decision Notice

## Decision Taken Between Meetings

<b>Decision No:</b>	<b>DPH01</b>
<b>Subject:</b>	<b>FUTURE OF EAST KENT ICT</b>
<b>Notification Date:</b>	<b>22 July 2022</b>
<b>Implementation Date:</b>	<b>28 July 2022</b>
<b>Decision taken by:</b>	<b>Councillor Chris Vinson, Portfolio Holder for Finance, Governance, Digital and Climate Change</b>
<b>Authority:</b>	<b>Paragraph 12 (General Responsibilities Delegated to all Members of the Executive) of Section 3C of Part 3 (Responsibility for Functions) of the Constitution</b>
<b>Decision Type:</b>	<b>Executive Non-Key Decision</b>
<b>Call-In to Apply?</b>	<b>Yes (<i>call-in will expire at 10.00am on 28 July 2022</i>)</b>
<b>Classification:</b>	<b>Unrestricted</b>
<b>Reason for the Decision:</b>	To disband East Kent ICT and bring the services back in house.
<b>Decision:</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. That East Kent ICT be disbanded and the ICT service returned in house.</li><li>2. That authority be delegated to each of the Chief Executive and Head of Community and Digital Services to:<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>(a) Make any further decisions and to carry out all necessary processes to give effect to the decision to disband EKICT;</li><li>(b) To approve and enter into any agreement necessary to give effect to the decision including, but not limited to, the novation of any contracts between all or any of the three councils and any third parties.</li></ol></li><li>3. That the attached report be provided to the East Kent Services Committee.</li></ol>

1. **Consideration and Alternatives (*if applicable*)**
  - 1.1 See attached report.
2. **Any Conflicts of Interest Declared?**
  - 2.1 None.
3. **Supporting Information (*as applicable*)**
  - 3.1 See attached report.