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SOUTH LAKELAND DISTRICT COUNCIL

Cabinet Meeting – 30 March 2021 Extraordinary Meeting of the Council – 30 March 2021

Regulation 10 (General Exception) of the Local Authorities (Executive Arrangements) (Meetings and Access to Information) (England) Regulations 2012 (“the 2012 Regulations”) allow for a Key Decision to be made if it is impracticable for notice of the intention to take a Key Decision under Regulation 9 to be given 28 clear days in advance of the taking of the Decision.

Regulation 10 sets out the actions required to be taken in those circumstances which includes setting out the reasons for General Exception.

The Chairman of the Overview and Scrutiny Committee has been notified that the making of the decision detailed below is urgent and cannot reasonably be deferred.

It is intended that Cabinet will take a Key Decision regarding the completion of agreements for the Cross-a-Moor Roundabout Scheme at its meeting on 30 March 2021.

The decision is urgent and cannot reasonably be deferred as the monies are required to be transferred from Cumbria County Council account by the end of March 2021 and the Council has been informed that the monies would be at risk of being reallocated otherwise. After the Cabinet meeting, if the Key Decision is made, under paragraph 16(j) of the Overview and Scrutiny Procedure Rules within Part 4 of the Council’s Constitution, call-in shall not apply.

The meeting has been called at short notice and in accordance with paragraph 4.3 of the Access to Information Rules of the Council’s Constitution. The meeting is being held in private for the following reasons:

Paragraph 3 – Information relating to the financial or business affairs of any particular person (including the authority holding that information);

Paragraph 5 - Information in respect of which a claim to legal professional privilege could be maintained in legal proceedings.

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